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## FINANCIAL CRISIS IN GERMANY BRINGS POWERS TOGETHER

FRANCE, UNITED STATES  
AND GREAT BRITAIN MEET  
FOR RELIEF PLANS

PARIS, July 16.—(AP)—Tentative plans for extending financial assistance to Germany under some form of international supervision were worked out today at a meeting attended by Secretary of State Henry L. Stimson and Representatives of France and Great Britain, it was learned from authentic sources.

The present idea, it is understood, is that the supervision will be by an international committee with prerogatives similar to those of the supervisory committee which operated under the Dawes plan. The whole scheme was presented to the French cabinet this afternoon.

BERLIN, July 16.—(AP)—Chancellor Heinrich Brüning and Foreign Minister Julius Curtius will go to Paris tomorrow to confer with representatives of France, Great Britain and the United States before going on to London for the international conference scheduled for Monday.

PARIS, July 16.—(AP)—One of the most important international meetings since the treaty days of 1919, today brought representatives of France, Great Britain and the United States together for discussion of the financial crisis in Germany.

After four hours it adjourned with the announcement that the German chancellor had been invited to come to Paris for another meeting tomorrow or the next day, before going on to London where representatives of all the great powers will meet on Monday evening.

Premier Laval, Aristide Briand, the French foreign minister, Henry L. Stimson, American secretary of state, Ambassador Edge, Arthur Henderson, the British foreign secretary, and Lord Tyrrell, the British ambassador, took part in today's discussions.

When it was over Premier Laval, with the caution of diplomacy, said, "It is possible that the German representatives, instead of coming to Paris next month as had been planned, will come at a much earlier date."

The official communique named the conferees and said, "The conversations continued those which took place yesterday. They dealt with the gravity of the financial situation in Germany and with the various aspects of the problems."

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## BAPTIST PASTOR HANDS RESIGNATION TO CHURCH BODY

REV. J. HOWARD WILLIAMS  
WILL LEAVE FIRST BAP-  
TIST AUGUST FIRST

Rev. J. Howard Williams Wednesday evening presented to the church in conference his resignation as pastor of the First Baptist church, effective August 1, 1931. About two weeks ago Dr. Williams announced his acceptance of the position of executive secretary of the executive board of the Baptist General convention of Texas, which had been tendered him by a unanimous vote in a meeting of the board. His resignation was accepted by the church body with great reluctance and many regrets at his leaving, but with the commonly expressed conviction that it is the will of God to use the pastor in a broader field of service, it is expected by other officials of the church.

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## BANKS RE-OPENED; PURCHASE FOREIGN CURRENCY CURBED

ALARM IS STILL FELT OVER  
SPREAD OF RIOTS BY COM-  
MUNISTS AND JOBLESS

(By The Associated Press.)  
Developments in the situation arising from Germany's financial crisis are succeeding one another with a rapidity unusual in international diplomacy.

Representatives of the principal world war allies, including Secretary of State Stimson met at Paris and invited Chancellor Brüning to come there as soon as he can.

Prime Minister MacDonald of England cancelled a visit to Berlin which he was to have made tomorrow and will remain at London for a meeting there on Monday of representatives of the principal world powers.

This meeting may supersede that of the Young plan experts who were to have gathered to dovetail that plan with the Hoover moratorium.

At Berlin the banks which were closed two days ago by government decree reopened to meet the mid-month payroll. There were no disorders. The cabinet remained in session considering Chancellor Brüning's trip to Paris and London.

BERLIN, July 16.—(AP)—The reopening of the banks after a two-day holiday and the curbing of the purchase of foreign currencies today led the German government to hope it had averted a dangerous financial crisis.

At the same time alarm was felt over the spread of riots by communists and jobless through a large part of the Reich. At least one person was killed, a number injured and many were arrested as police laid a heavy hand on attempts to create internal dissension.

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## WORLD POWERS IN RADICAL EFFORTS TO SAVE GERMANY

SERIES OF INTERNATIONAL  
CONFERENCES CULMINATES  
IN LONDON MONDAY

LONDON, July 16.—(AP)—Prime Minister MacDonald informed the house of commons today of postponement of the visit he and Foreign Secretary Henderson had planned to pay Berlin this week and the decision of Chancellor Brüning of Germany to proceed to Paris.

Edward Marjoribanks, conservative, asked if Mr. MacDonald would "give an assurance that the government will be no party to the imposition of political conditions thus exploiting the financial crisis."

"I shall take note of that question," was the premier's reply.

The prime minister was asked by Stanley Baldwin, conservative leader, whether he could give the house information about the conference of ministers which is to take place Monday.

"Since this morning's communique was issued, further consultations have taken place," Mr. MacDonald replied. "Pursuant to these we have been informed that the German chancellor has now decided to proceed to Paris. The visit I had intended to pay Berlin with Secretary Henderson has in consequence been postponed. The conference of ministers will take place in London Monday as already announced."

Commander J. M. Kenworthy wanted to know whether the government had come to a decision on a proposal for a one-year holiday in warship building and construction of other war materials in connection with the debt moratorium. Mr. MacDonald told him no such proposal had been made but if it were made, the government

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Indications are exceptionally bright for a good cotton crop and if anything like a reasonable price is secured for it this fall the farmers in this county will be well off. Since the farmers, as a rule, have plenty of feed for their stock and are putting up supplies for themselves and families, cotton at 10 cents or more will mean more actual money than 15 cent cotton when all feed and supplies must be purchased.

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## MOTHER COMFORTS BOY SLAYER



Vanner Corry, 15-year-old Chicago boy slayer, is shown here with his mother, who attempted to comfort him just before he went on trial Monday for the murder of a Chicago policeman. The youth pleaded not guilty and his counsel waived a jury, throwing the lad upon the sole judgment of the court.

## NECESSITY FOR RATE INCREASE IS ARGUED THURSDAY

BELIEVED ONLY THE FIF-  
TEEN PER CENT INCREASE  
ASKED SUFFICIENT

WASHINGTON, July 16.—(AP)—The interstate commerce commission was told today that the Eastern railroads believed only the 15 per cent increase in freight rates sought by the carriers would be necessary to tide them over the depression period.

The statement was made at the second day of hearings on the rate application by J. J. Pelley, president of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, representing Eastern carriers. He testified the increase was not sought with an idea of bringing profits to the 2-3-4 per cent net return fixed as "fair" by the commission. It was asked, he said, because it was felt that without additional revenues the railroads could not continue the transportation service "which it is their duty under the law to provide and which is essential to the public welfare."

Pelley said railroad earnings were such that the carriers were unable to maintain their normal capital and maintenance expenditures. The railroads had no idea the

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FORT WORTH, July 18.—(AP)—No further changes in the method of producing deep wells in Reagan county are contemplated by Texon Oil and Land Company, owner of four of the wells, two of which have been shut in as a means of conserving both the high gravity oil and heavy gas from the deep horizons.

Texon is now producing only the sufficient gas and oil to supply its former commitments, it was said here Thursday by those in charge of operating the leases. The two deep wells operated by Texon are producing about 7,800 barrels daily and the gas-oil ratio is approximately 7-100 cubic feet per barrel.

Texon's attitude was expressed in response to a statement from the University board of regents who said they were willing to continue validity of University leases, if operators elected to shut in their wells pending an improvement in the crude oil market.

Approximately 55,000,000 cubic feet of gas daily is being withdrawn from Texon's two wells, part of which is being used in natural gasoline plants and the balance is being handled by two new gas lines, one leading to San Angelo and the other to Givens. One of the two wells shut in by Texon, its No. B-2 University, was estimated capable of 20,000 barrels daily and No. B-3 University, the other well mudded in as a conservation measure, was capable of about 1,400 barrels daily.

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## LAW GOVERNING DUMPING REFUSE NEAR HIGHWAYS

PUBLIC NOTIFIED THAT  
STATUTES BE ENFORCED  
COVERING THIS MATTER

J. W. Nichols, section foreman of the state highway maintenance department has received the following letter from G. B. Gholston, state highway engineer, calling attention to the law governing the dumping of refuse near highways.

It is pointed out by Mr. Nichols that the law will be enforced to the letter of the statute and the general public is requested to take notice.

The letter follows:  
Memorandum No. 9.  
Subject: Law Governing Dumping Which Refuse Shall Be Dumped From Highways.

Dear Sir:—  
Your attention is called to the following law which we quote to you, and which you will find in the Jan. 1 issue of Texas Laws relating to highway matters as compiled by Mr. L. G. Phares, chief of the motor patrol. This appears on page 86 of that book. (Senate Bill No. 103, Chapter 53, Page 155.)

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## FORD RESOLUTION INTIMATES LAWS OF STATE VIOLATED

IMMEDIATE PROBE TO SEE  
IF ANTI-TRUST LAWS  
FLAUNTED, ORDERED

AUSTIN, July 16.—(AP)—The house of representatives of the Texas legislature today adopted a resolution by Representative J. B. Ford of McGregor directing the attorney general to start an immediate investigation of all branches of the oil industry to determine if the anti-trust laws and laws against restraint of trade and monopoly were being violated.

A vote on the resolution was 76 to 43 and came after extended debate on whether it was legal to appropriate the contingent expense funds of the legislature by simple resolution to be used by a state department in carrying on an investigation. No senate action is needed on the resolution.

The attorney general was authorized to employ two special assistants at a salary of \$350 per month for 12 months to carry on the investigation.

A move to forestall action on the resolution by having it referred to the committee on appropriations so that an appropriation bill definitely fixing the amount could be passed out was defeated 60 to 55. The motion was made by Representative Satterwhite of Odessa, author of the resolution defeated yesterday which would have authorized a joint committee and the senate state affairs committee to conduct the investigation.

All expenses of the investigation will be paid out of the contingent expense fund of the legislature.

Says Information Useless.  
Opponents of the resolution claimed the information would be useless in the present emergency and would be available to the legislature in acting on bills.

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## PLANS FOR DEPARTURE OF FALL TO PRISON SECRET; LEGISLATORS ASK PARDON

EL PASO, July 16.—(AP)—Plans of Albert B. Fall to depart for the New Mexico state penitentiary to serve a term of a year and a day on conviction of accepting a bribe as secretary of the interior were shrouded in secrecy today.

Dr. J. H. Gambrell, Fall's physician, reported following a visit that the former cabinet officer was "very feeble" and he thought he would not start for the Santa Fe prison immediately.

Members of Fall's family expressed a desire to get him into prison for service of the term growing out of the leasing of the Elk Hills, Cal., naval oil reserve, with as little publicity as possible. They asserted that he was "worn out" and eager to "drop out of the headlines."

The offices of United States marshals here and in Albuquerque, N. M., reported they had received no communication from Washington concerning the case.

Marsenal Joseph Fontana of New Mexico said he expected commitment papers would not arrive before tonight and that the manner of service would depend on instructions.

## NEW MEXICO URGES PARDON.

WASHINGTON, July 16.—(AP)—A joint telegram from the two New Mexico senators and the governor to the legislature of that state, asking executive clemency for Albert B. Fall, was received today at the White House and sent immediately to the department of justice.

The former secretary of the interior is awaiting commitment to the New Mexico penitentiary to serve a sentence of a year and a day for accepting a bribe in connection with a naval oil reserve lease.

The president will take no action on the emergency petition until after the department of justice has studied it and made recommendations.

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## ENDRES AND MAGYAR COMPLETE FLIGHT TO BUDAPEST THURSDAY

HUNGARIANS MAKE HOP  
ACROSS ATLANTIC AND  
LARGE PART EUROPE

BUDAPEST, Hungary, July 16.—(AP)—Captain Magyar and Captain George Endres brought the trans-Atlantic monoplane "Justice for Hungary" down to a forced landing 20 miles outside of Budapest tonight.

They came down as the last drop of gasoline in the plane was exhausted. Neither was hurt although the plane was damaged.

The fliers crawled out at the end of their spectacular 3,200 mile flight, grinning broadly.

It seemed as though the whole city of Budapest raised its voice in a great cheering cheer as the ship circled over the city just before it came down.

Thousands who had been waiting hours for its arrival were packed on roof tops, jammed in the streets and craning out of windows as the ship passed over.

When Capt. George Endres and Capt. Alexander Magyar started their trans-Atlantic flight from Detroit, Mich., to Budapest they dedicated the adventure to Hungary's still active antipathy to the treaty of peace signed 10 years ago at Trianon, after the World War.

By that treaty Hungary's population was reduced to 7,500,000. Plume was ceded to the principal allies and created into a free city which later was annexed to Italy.

The three Magyar towns of Sándor-Mare, Oradea-Mare and Arad, and the surrounding Magyar zone were given to Rumania.

Hungary was allowed an army of 35,000.

The nation still smarted under what it considers to be the unfair division of Hungarian territory effected by the treaty.

The field in which they landed

## FREIGHT BUSINESS TWO RAILROADS HERE HANDLED JOINTLY

SOUTHERN PACIFIC AND  
COTTON BELT OFFICIALS  
COMPLETE PLANS

Freight business of the Southern Pacific and Cotton Belt lines will be consolidated in the Southern Pacific offices and warehouse, effective Friday, July 17, according to a statement made Thursday by Major H. S. Phillips, Cotton Belt superintendent.

Details of the local merger were completed during the morning in a conference between officials of both companies, including L. B. McDonald, general manager; T. A. Meeks, assistant to the general manager; B. S. Holliman, superintendent, all of the Southern Pacific; and J. C. Post, vice president and general manager; Major Phillips and Ed Rhone, assistant superintendent of the Cotton Belt.

The freight business will be handled by the Southern Pacific freight agent, augmented by the increased duties. Members of the Cotton Belt force replaced will be taken care of at other points in the state.

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## PLANES COLLIDED IN MIDAIR SOUTH OF BROOKS FIELD

ALL OCCUPANTS OF TWO  
PLANES WERE INSTANTLY  
KILLED BY IMPACT

SAN ANTONIO, July 16.—(AP)—Three officers and one flying cadet were instantly killed four miles south of Brooks Field this morning when the two planes in which they were flying collided in the air.

All four were on duty at Brooks Field. They were Major Charles V. Hart, flight surgeon and pilot; Captain Carlos J. Chamberlain of New York City; Second Lieutenant K. Austin Rogers, flying instructor; and Cadet Endicott Longacre.

The two planes, piloted by Maj. Hart and Lieut. Rogers, were flying at an altitude of 300 or 400 feet when they crashed in midair and plunged to the ground. The accident was seen from the air by other pilots in the vicinity, who landed nearby and summoned an ambulance from Brooks Field.

Major Hart was one of the few flight surgeons in the air corps that holds a pilot's rating and was one of the pioneers in flight surgeon work.

Captain Chamberlain, who was flying with Major Hart, training to become a flight surgeon, was taking the flight surgeon course at the school of aviation medicine at Brooks Field. His home is in New York City and he was a member of the New York National Guard.

Lieut. Rogers was a flying instructor at the primary flying school and was giving a flying lesson to Cadet Longacre at the time of the crash. Capt. Chamberlain was taking the basic course. He is the son of Captain Longacre of the quartermaster corps and was on duty at Duncan Field, near Houston.

Chamberlain Air Flight Surgeon. WASHINGTON, July 16.—(AP)—Capt. Carlos J. Chamberlain, who was killed with three others in an air crash near Brooks Field, Texas, today was named as a flight surgeon in the New York National Guard as a one month term of temporary active duty.

His home was listed at the war department as 9 East 97th street, New York City.

Department records gave the home address of Major Charles V. Hart as Harrisburg, Pa., and that of Lieut. K. Austin Rogers as 1243 Schley avenue, San Antonio.

Cadet Endicott Longacre lived in his city, but his father, Capt. Charles Longacre, is now stationed at Duncan Field, San Antonio.

## UNITED STATES TO SHUN ALL POLITICS IN AIDING GERMANY

FEDERAL RESERVE SYSTEM  
EXPECTED EXTEND CREDIT  
WITH OTHER BANKS

WASHINGTON, July 16.—(AP)—The American government has adopted a policy that precludes political considerations in connection with the German economic situation.

Although the federal reserve system probably will extend credits to Germany along with other important banking interests, acting Secretary Castle of the state department, today made clear the United States would not become involved in any political situation relating to that country.

The financial assistance that might be rendered by the federal reserve system, he added, would be along the lines of that of the Bank of France and similar European institutions.

Castle said the French government maintains that it had not asked directly for political considerations when Germany, on the verge of financial collapse, asked for aid.

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## WORLD POWERS IN RADICAL EFFORTS TO SAVE GERMANY

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would give it every consideration.

LONDON, July 16.—(P)—Germany's perilous financial situation today moved the world powers to make radical changes in plans for a series of international conferences and statements of seven nations are to meet in London on Monday to evolve a plan of extending speedy assistance to Berlin.

First, however, Chancellor Heinrich Brüning and Julius Curtius, his foreign minister, are expected to go to Paris on the way to London. He may make the trip tonight.

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## COURTHOUSE NEWS

District Court  
The Navarro county grand jury was still in session Thursday morning.

County Court  
James Preston entered a plea of guilty in the county court Wednesday to a charge of theft and was fined \$50 and costs by Clay Nash, county judge.

Wandell Sims was fined \$50 and costs Wednesday on a charge of vagrancy.

Duke Howard was fined \$50 and costs in the county court Wednesday on a charge of vagrancy.

Probate Court  
The will of Mrs. H. T. Bain, deceased, of Kerens, was filed for probate Wednesday.

County Clerk's Office  
County Clerk L. C. (Bridge) Morgan was busy Thursday morning preparing to mail out the commissions of the 257 notaries in Navarro county who have qualified for the posts. The commissions are signed by R. S. Sterling, governor of Texas, and Mrs. Jane Y. McCallum, secretary of state.

Marriage Licenses  
C. A. Zevley and Catherine Treadwell.

Constable's Office  
One person was arrested Wednesday night on a charge of drunkenness.

Justice Court  
Judge W. W. Clifton collected one fine Thursday morning from a person fined on a charge of drunkenness.

Judge J. L. Cox assessed a fine against a negro Wednesday on a charge of vagrancy.

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here on Monday with Julius Curtius, his foreign minister.

## Stimson Ordered to Attend Conference

WASHINGTON, July 16.—(P)—President Hoover today instructed Secretary Stimson to proceed to London and represent the United States at the meeting of heads of governments Monday.

The decision was communicated today to Secretary Stimson by transatlantic telephone between the white house and the American embassy in Paris. Acting Secretary Castle of the state department talked with the secretary.

It was explained officially that American participation in the conference would be on the same basis as the other premiers.

It was added, however, that the position of the United States will be different from that of the other powers since the United States will not inject itself into any political considerations of Europe.

The attitude which will be followed by Stimson at the conference will be to maintain a friendly feeling toward both the German and French positions, but stressing the fact that one of the best things which could occur at the present time would be a settlement of the Franco-German divergencies.

The purpose of the conference will be to discuss the emergency situation confronting the nations, the principal trouble being Germany's economic situation.

American officials look to the conference to result in the formulation of a plan to aid Germany's economy recovery.

The representation at the conference was presumed by officials to include Great Britain, France, Germany, Italy, Belgium and the United States.

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depression would last so long, he added, acting on the assumption it would end after a few months they continued their program of expenditures, he said. Before the end of 1930, Pelly explained however, it was decided they could not continue the 1930 policy.

The carriers, he said, had hoped to get through the depression without increasing rates and had cut expenses to an absolute minimum.

"The increases sought in this proceeding," he concluded, "are proposed without any thought of increasing revenues sufficiently to earn a fair return. They are sought as the minimum, necessary to prevent what the railroads conceive to be a serious emergency both for themselves and the public."

"The railroads have made their application only because, without additional revenues, they cannot continue the transportation service which it is their duty under the law to provide and which is essential to the public welfare. They have proposed a general percentage increase as an emergency measure because they are convinced that no safe means are available to relieve the situation now existing."

Heat Discomforting  
At Rate Hearing  
WASHINGTON, July 16.—(P)—A firm but good humored control is being maintained by the interstate commerce commission despite torrid weather at the hearing on the railroads' plea for a 15 per cent increase in freight rates.

At the hearing, which began yesterday, 500 railroad representatives crowded into a small room to hear the opening argument of Edward C. Duffield, president of the Interstate Commerce Commission, who presided over the proceedings.

With the heat outside intense, it became hotter in the small room as the carrier officials and lawyers leaned against each other in uncomfortable postures. But on the dais, sitting with Commissioners Lee and Lewis and seven state commission representatives, senior Commissioner Balthasar H. Meyer, maintained the coolest appearance of any man at the session.

Sixty-four years old, 20 years a commissioner, and an authority on railroad law and transportation history, Meyer smilingly conducted the proceedings. Nodding his snowy white head and stroking his equally white Van Dyke beard, the veteran commissioner seemingly

heamed as he frequently lightened the situation with a mild piece of humor or administered a rebuke to attorneys that overstepped the rules of procedure.

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## Alleged Bank Robber Taken By Detectives

DALLAS, July 16.—(P)—Bernard Mullins, wanted in Bell, Tenn., in connection with robbery of the Bell Banking company, was arrested in a Dallas apartment last night by detectives on a felony charge.

Three men, armed with machine guns, robbed the Bell bank of \$8,000 last February 18.

Mullins, officers said, admitted his identity and waived extradition. He was to be returned to Tennessee, by officers who were en route to Dallas.

The two alleged companions of Mullins in the robbery were arrested recently. D. Ward Mullins was apprehended at Alamo, Tenn., and William Thomas White at Chicago.

United States To  
Shun All Politics  
In Aiding Germany

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assistance with French officials in Paris.

The opinion was expressed by the acting secretary, however, that other countries would not extend credit to Germany before that nation made definite strides toward a domestic economic adjustment.

Late yesterday the white house and state department took a more optimistic and hopeful view of the German situation. Official confidence was strengthened that conditions were improving when Germany fulfilled her obligations under the Hoover moratorium plan by paying unconditional annuities due yesterday. The money is to be released to Germany.

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## NUMBER OF HOMES ENTERED; NEGRO IS HELD BY OFFICERS

City officers were of the opinion Thursday morning that reports of prowlers in several homes in the city Wednesday night had been solved with the arrest of a negro at an early hour Thursday morning. The negro was transferred to the county authorities immediately.

Officers received reports of a prowler at 625 West Third in the Tipton residence; another report from 911 South Seventeenth from the residence of W. B. Baker, but nothing was missing in either place. Thursday morning reports of a prowler were received from the C. D. Speed residence where about four dollars was reported missing, and from the residence of J. A. Gunter, 1115 West Seventh avenue, where about \$200 and a bottle of milk were missing.

Entrance in the Gunter home was effected by picking the fastener on a screen; the bottle of milk was removed from the refrigerator, and the money taken from the trousers of Charlton Gunter. The negro arrested Thursday morning had a necktie identified as coming from the Gunter home.

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# Bankers, Merchants, Business Men And Agriculturists See Ending Of Depression; Bright Future Ahead

After being stalemated by unfavorable conditions that have affected every country on the face of the globe, Corsicana is rapidly gaining momentum on a powerful drive back to normalcy and even visible prosperity in the opinion of representatives of every phase of Corsicana and Navarro county business and economic life.

"Corsicana has found a solid foundation and is building. We have as good a community as there is in the great state of Texas, and there are no counties in the nation which will surpass ours, and few that will equal it," is the terse summary of one of Corsicana's financial leaders, a close observer of economic and agricultural conditions.

Essentially an agricultural section with God-given wealth buried in thousands of acres of black soil, the potentialities of Corsicana and Navarro county are just beginning to be realized and capitalized. And as the county and community readjust themselves after the finding of "liquid gold" within its bounds and returns to a solid agricultural foundation, just so rapidly is it advancing toward an unrivalled period of success and prosperity.

Few merchants or business men faced 1931 without considerable misgivings or even a tinge of despair. But a majority of them have been surprised by the readiness with which the sturdy descendants of a hardy pioneer stock have faced the problems in front of them and are visibly working their way out of an economic wilderness, far in advance of many other sections of the nation, allegedly better situated.

## Much Readjustment.

"During the past six months, both citizens and business men have done much to readjust their conditions. They have started living within their means, have adjusted their prices, have shown the effects of the readjustment, and for the most part conditions have reached the ebb and are now going upward," was George E. Jester's opinion in conditions at the close of the first half of 1931, viewed from his post as president of the First State Bank of Corsicana.

Continuing his observations, Mr. Jester pointed out that the county has been readjusting itself. He has become almost independent for the first time in many years by raising a quantity of feed and food for his stock and family on his farm. He has used to come into town and leave money always, he is now in many instances taking money home with him as he sells some of his excess produce.

Faced with the necessity, farmers have reduced their cotton acreage, and are trying balanced farming. Mr. Jester expressed a great interest in the activities of the various communities where the farm women are canning large quantities of food and saving it for the fall and winter months, where in the past they have depended almost entirely upon the grocery shelves to supply them.

Mr. Jester also believes that farmers are producing their cotton this year at a much lower per pound cost than they have for many years past. Good indications are believed to be unusually good. The banker is also interested in the efforts of the average farmer to copy the methods of some of the outstanding success stories of the county and community, and believes that if a real progressive farmer could be located in each school district and his neighbors follow his example, that within a short time Navarro county would again be the land of milk and honey.

**Conditions on Upgrade.**  
Another banker, J. N. Edens, president of the First National Bank of Corsicana, asserted that he believed that conditions were once more on the upgrade, after a period of readjustment. He was openly optimistic of the future, and expressed every confidence in the ability of Corsicana and Navarro county to reach satisfactory conditions within a period of a few months.

Merchants and customers have adopted a more sensible plane for their relations in Mr. Edens' opinion, and this has assisted materially in adjusting conditions. Credit has been inflated and more business is being done on a cash basis. Savings accounts are noticeably increasing, and even checking accounts of his institution are showing a material growth.

A growing confidence upon the part of the general populace is also in evidence to Mr. Edens. Those who have a reserve of funds are beginning to release them through the best channels, in turn aiding the merchant, the laboring man and countless others.

"There is no need to worry about Corsicana. Certainly we had to have a readjustment, but we will profit much by it. Corsicana is one of the finest communities in the state and we have much to be proud of," Mr. Navarro county is one of the finest counties in the nation, which is seldom equaled and never surpassed, in spite of the oil booms and attractions in other sections," he said.

"Are the farmers in fair condition now?" was a question asked Mr. Edens.

"I would rather be in the farmer's place than anybody's," was his instant reply. "In spite of all the talk about the farmer, he has led all of us in readjusting himself to conditions, and while he is not overburdened with ready cash, he has ample food reserve and knows that he is going to eat well and supply his family with all the necessities of life. He is producing his crop more economically this year, and in the fall will be in the best condition he has been in for years."

**Decided Improvement.**  
I. N. Cerr, president of the State National Bank, made a decided improvement in financial conditions in the city and county, and with prospects of good yields in most crops, looks for even better conditions in the second half of the year.

"Yes, we are much better off than we were on January 1, because we have gotten down to solid rock and have started rebuilding on a saner scale. Although checking accounts are

showing about a normal seasonal slump, savings accounts are mounting rapidly, just as they always do when economic conditions are unsettled," he said.

Mr. Cerr also credited the farmers with making the most rapid recovery, pointing out that they had earned to live at home, were taking pride in the appearance of the homes, raising sufficient feed and food to make them virtually independent, cutting production costs, and making use of all available labor on the farm in place of hiring all of the work done.

Canning activities of farmers and their wives are progressing on a large scale, Mr. Cerr declared, saying that many of his clients had reported quantities of beef, pork, and chicken canned for the winter consumption.

As a whole the city and county are in good financial condition according to their opinion. Only while deposits are a little lower than a few months ago, the stock market is blamed for much of this, and any recovery of stocks and bonds will result in increased confidence in their opinion.

Another banker called attention to the fact that postal savings accounts are rather small in Corsicana, compared to many points, asserting that this condition was due to the confidence of the people in this section of the country in their financial institutions.

In many of the strictly industrial sections of the state and nation where there have been some bank failures, postal savings accounts have been swelled abnormally.

Another banker called attention to the fact that while a year ago, perhaps 95 per cent of the farm lands in Navarro county were under mortgage, they are now only about 75 per cent were in such a condition; generally this was not because the mortgages had been paid off, but because the land had been turned over to the loan companies. Within the near future it is expected that these land agencies will have some desirable lands for sale, and then a fair, reasonable value will be placed on Navarro county's black soil—something that is lacking today. It is lamentable that such a fate should reach any landowner, but at the same time the general conditions are improved by the amortization of the paper.

**Deposits Are Large.**  
According to the statements of the three banks in the city of Corsicana at the close of business on June 30, the total deposits on hand in round figures were seven and a quarter million dollars—almost strictly home capital—without the excitement or high pressure activity of an oil boom or other phase of high-powered industrial development. Of this amount approximately a million and a quarter dollar was in savings deposits and a cash reserve—that is equivalent to \$625,000 per capita.

Monthly debits to customers' accounts of the Corsicana Clearing House Association, which includes all checks charged against customers' accounts, are running approximately thirty per cent behind the corresponding figures for 1930 but in this connection, merchants and bankers call attention to the fact that compared with the same time last year, the average piece of merchandise is priced at about thirty-five per cent less, indicating that almost the same volume of merchandise is moving as a year ago.

Large quantities of grain sorghums have been planted and are being prized to the best advantage; more terracing was done this year than ever before and more is being planned for the fall program. County Agent Pigg reports a larger number of people interested in and working with poultry, hogs, and cows than ever before, and bent upon raising the major portion of the feed for their livestock at home. Considerable attention is also being paid to permanent pasture.

Another important factor in the

welfare of the county is the intense efforts on the part of the agricultural constituents to reduce the cost of their crops to the lowest possible minimum. It is estimated that where the 1930 cotton crop cost the farmers of Navarro County approximately twelve cents per pound that the 1931 crop will average about eight cents per pound or an initial saving of about thirty per cent.

Alongside the farmer, the important factor of the farmer's wives must be considered. Here again the live at home idea has taken a deep root. Several days ago an estimate was submitted that indicated that some 260 members of the home demonstration groups in Navarro county had been that time put up a total of more than 4,000 cans of foods and meats of all kinds, and the canning season is just swinging under full headway. These cans are valued at approximately nineteen cents, varying with the product, contained, but the saving in the annual grocery bill will run into many figures.

One member of the clubs has already canned more than 500 containers of twenty-five varieties of products, and she was no exception. Many others are working toward that end, according to Miss Janie Sowell, home demonstration agent, who is aiding the farm women in every possible manner.

In addition to canning industry, farm women of the county have shown a warm interest in the making of clothes at home, in the beautification of both person and home. At present there are a large number of women engaged in preparing wardrobes for the program of their clubs, while others are engaged in beautification projects about their homes. At last account there has been more than 1,000 nursery shrubs planted about homes in Navarro county, especially in the rural section, and had been carefully tended through the early stages of transplanting, and almost 400 native shrubs had been mingled into the various decorative schemes.

**More Cash Available.**  
Projects of these varieties indicate that the farmer will have more cash available for other than the necessities of life in the fall, considerably rearing the prospects of the future.

Another important factor in Corsicana and Navarro county's hopes for the remainder of the year is the rapid progress being made on its road systems. Already an all-weather road is open to the north to the Ellis county line, another is open south to Richland, and points south along the route of highway 75 opening up immense markets that have heretofore gone in other directions or have been entirely neglected. It is now a matter of minutes between Corsicana and Angus, Richland, Streetman, Fairfield, Teague, Mexia, Wortham, Palestine and other points.

Within a few weeks, a new outlet and inlet will be available when the Ward Bridge road is completed, and still another outlet is planned when it is extended to make an all-weather connection with Dawson and other points in the western end of the county. To the east, travel is also easier.

While only the dump has been constructed at this time, it is of such a nature and so maintained that it will be passable at almost all times of year, preventing mid-winter isolation that has been a fact for many years past.

The great number and extensiveness of the road projects is a benefit to Corsicana in another way, since several hundred workmen are engaged in the respective sections, and this city is the natural market for them. Several months will be required to complete the work and this will mean industrial payrolls of several thousand dollars each month from that source.

Similar in nature, is the city paving program now under way in Corsicana. Several units are under construction and one has been completed and a number of others contemplated in the immediate future. The total cost of paving projects will approximate a quarter of a million dollars, a large part of this being spent for labor and materials in Corsicana. As a proof that Corsicana and vicinity are doing well, the railroad receipts are closely approximating a year ago, with a huge volume of summer travel yet to be accounted for, and two months of summer ahead.

**Fresh Water Supply.**  
One of the greatest advantages of Corsicana is usually overlooked by the native son as he points out the landmarks and points of interest about his city is the fresh water supply which this city boasts. A large lake supplies Corsicana with water of exceptional purity at a cost well below the average of many towns of similar size and larger. An ample water supply is available to Corsicana for a period of eighteen months or longer should there be no rains sufficient to replenish the supply for that length of time.

And at present, a purification and softening plant is under construction that will be the equal of any in the southwest and will place the Corsicana system among the outstanding units of the state. Few towns in Texas or the southwest are able to boast of an adequate water supply, with a good purification plant, and adequate pumping and distributing facilities.

A larger volume of merchandise moved during the first six months of 1931 than during the corresponding period of 1930 according to Clyde Foster, Corsicana manager for J. C. Penny company, although about the same as the average of a twenty per cent reduction. However, taking into consideration the fact that prices have been reduced an average of thirty-five per cent, the total receipts show about a substantial growth.

He is also optimistic of the future. He reports that business has shown a remarkable recovery during the past sixty days, and the month of July has started in excellent fashion.

**Business Up Expectations.**  
J. M. Dyer, Sr., head of the J. M. Dyer Dry Goods company, declares that business has been up to expectations and in keeping with forecasts made at the beginning of the year. He reports an unusual demand for popular priced ready-to-wear goods and men's wear, these departments outstripping piece goods sales. His firm

## DISABLED VETERANS PLAN COMPLETION OF LOCAL ORGANIZATION

The organization of a local chapter of Disabled American Veterans will be completed here Thursday night at 7:30 o'clock. The meeting will be held at the court house in the county courtroom and all former soldiers and their families are cordially invited and expected to be present.

An interesting program has been arranged with several men prominent in the affair: if the organization scheduled to made addresses.

Included on the program are Laurence R. Melton, state commander Disabled American Veterans; Chas. S. Taylor, national rehabilitation officer; P. D. Jackson, national executive; S. M. Billing, state treasurer; Reed Johnson, regional manager U. S. Veterans Bureau, and member D. A. V.

Hon. Luther Johnson, congressman from the sixth district, will also address the gathering. A large attendance is especially desired by the local membership.

It was reported to be in excellent condition, and he declared that business in general was profiting from efforts to decrease overhead expenses to a minimum, and from more scientific merchandising.

Mr. Dyer views the future with no undue alarm and is anticipating an increase in business during the fall and winter months. He does not look for the recovery from the recent conditions overnight but rather a gradual process resulting from cooperative efforts of all.

H. P. Miller, manager of the Corsicana branch of Montgomery Ward company, reports that his store has been keeping pace with plans made at the beginning of the year and in some instances have surpassed all expectations, especially in the fire and radio departments. Collections are unusually good he reported.

Mr. Miller reports that he is facing the future very optimistically and is buying unusually heavy stocks of merchandise for the fall and winter trade and much of it is arriving daily. Although he does not expect a too rapid recovery from past conditions, the Montgomery Ward manager is watching the future with anticipation, seeing a tremendous stride back to normalcy in the remainder of 1931.

**Navarro Holding Own.**  
Sydney Marks, president of Marks Brothers, one of Corsicana's oldest stores made the following statement:

"I have given considerable thought to actual conditions in Navarro county and have made numerous inquiries from authentic sources from adjacent counties, and I am very happy over the fact, that Navarro county is classified in the list of those counties who are holding their own. The minds of the farmers are reconciled to low prices for the things they raise, and they have by necessity adjusted themselves accordingly. The crop is being made on a basis of 8 cent cotton, and by January 1, 1932, the actual financial condition of Mr. Farmer will be fully 50 per cent better.

"Prices on dry goods are back to pre-war times, and the average reduction over the store on all lines are around 30 to 35 per cent. Noticeable increases have been manifested by thrifty shoppers in

## County Bankers Met in Quarterly Session Tuesday

Members of the Navarro County Bankers Association held their regular quarterly meeting at Baums Lodge Tuesday evening with representatives present from almost all banks in Navarro county.

Following the luncheon, a round-table discussion of general conditions, and a social hour completed the program for the evening.

buying yardage in preference to heretofore made up garments. "Since the opening of highway 75 we have added new customers from that heretofore impassable country. Continuous road work during the fall of 1931 coupled with an average cotton yield with practically an assured feed crop of requirements, should bring about a more stabilized trade for this fall. A county wide appeal of trade at home and keep Corsicana money in Corsicana, will help, and it behooves us all to lend a helping hand where ever possible.

Business in 1931 was approximately the same for the first six months as it was in the corresponding period in 1930, according to Max Wolens, executive of the Wolens Department Stores, operators of ten stores in Corsicana, Texas. And while no abnormal return to prosperity is expected immediately, Mr. Wolens declared that he believed that people had become accustomed to their changed plans of living and were rapidly resuming the normal expenditure of money.

Mr. Wolens reported that approximately the same receipts were reported from his stores for

## CORSICANA WOMAN DIED LATE TUESDAY BURIAL WEDNESDAY

Mrs. Alice Griffiths, aged 68, resident of Corsicana for more than twenty years, died Tuesday evening about 7 o'clock at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Joe Jefferson at 1401 West Collin street.

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock from the First Baptist Church with Rev. J. Howard Williams conducting the last rites. Interment was in Oakwood.

The deceased is survived by her husband, J. T. Griffiths, one son, J. S. Griffiths of Kerens, and two daughters, Mrs. Jefferson and Mrs. J. E. Scarborough, both of Corsicana, and nine grandchildren.

Active pall-bearers were Hood Cheney, A. G. Smith, Will Taylor, Dr. J. A. Jones, J. J. Newton and John Davis. The honorary pall-bearers were friends of the family.

The funeral was directed by the Sutherland Funeral Home.

the first half of this year and last year. He was not unduly alarmed nor rabidly optimistic for the future, but indicated that he expected a substantial improvement during the coming months, with splendid agricultural prospects, and a number of other factors entering the situation.

Another advantage which citizens of Corsicana and surrounding area enjoy but seldom think about is a modern system of schools, with modern, well-equipped

## Ninetieth Birthday Of Mexia Woman Was Recently Observed

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Burson and Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Pearson and children went to Mexia on the fifth of July for the celebration of Mr. Burson's mother's 90th birthday. All four of her children and all of her grandchildren were with her and the celebration was held at the Jack Creek reunion grounds.

## M. P. Revival in Progress at Mexia

MEXIA, July 15.—(Spl.)—Rev. Kenneth Copeland, boy evangelist of Corsicana, and his father, Rev. J. W. Copeland, will conduct a Methodist Protestant evangelistic meeting in Mexia for 10 days, beginning Tuesday night, July 21, at a tabernacle. The younger minister will preach, while his father will act as manager of the revival. Lonnie Preston of Waco, evangelistic singer, will assist in the meeting. There is no Methodist Protestant church in Mexia, and Rev. Copeland says he does not intend to organize one.

ped buildings, and manned by a very capable faculty. Corsicana's school system is the equal of any school system in the state, and is the superior to the majority of the towns in its population class. Each year, a large number of students are entered in the Corsicana schools from surrounding towns, taking advantage of the excellent educational facilities, and at the same time aiding in the progress of Corsicana as a community.

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Many have taken advantage of our many bargains and be sure to get your share

We have marked this stock for a quick close out. Face Powder, Perfumes, Toilet Articles of all kinds, Leather Goods, and a good line of Drugs.

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but also the fixtures. Come in and get you a small glass case for the bath room, a stand for house, tables, chairs, fans for the summer, and all priced to sell.

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4.40-21.....	\$4.98	4.40-21.....	\$7.05
(29x4.40)		(29x4.40)	
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(30x4.50)		(30x4.50)	
5.00-19.....	6.98	5.00-19.....	9.15
(29x5.00)		(29x5.00)	
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(33x6.00)		(33x6.00)	

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# Interesting News from Navarro County Towns

## NAVARRO MILLS

NAVARRO MILLS, July 16.—(Spl.)—The crops are looking fine but needing rain.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Marlowe are spending this week with Mr. Marlowe's father, G. W. Marlowe.

Miss Eunice North was the supper guest of Winnie Young and Addie E. Hunton Sunday night.

Ellis Yates spent Friday night with Joe Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Puck Wilson visited W. E. McClendon Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Bone attended church here Friday night.

Rev. Budd Sikes is holding the revival meeting, with good attendance.

Bill Thomas and J. W. Farmer were in this community Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Threet and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Threet spent Saturday night with relatives near Roane.

Mrs. R. E. Hunton spent Sunday with Mrs. W. Marlowe.

Pete Cunningham, J. D. Evans and son, Cecil, were in Dawson Monday morning on business.

Mrs. Ruffie Putman is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Hubbard and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hubbard visited Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Ives Thursday night.

Leo Hubbard visited Lawrence Hubbard Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bunyan Ellis were in Dawson Sunday night.

Mrs. J. H. Ford and daughter, Naomi, visited in this community Monday night.

## BETHEL

BETHEL, July 16.—(Spl.)—Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Graham were called to Tyler Sunday morning to see her brother, who had seriously ill.

Quite a number of young people enjoyed the party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. DeWitt Wallace Saturday night.

Jewel Graham and Jewel Floyd spent Saturday night with Ruth Ballew.

Rev. Morran will begin his meeting here Friday evening at eight o'clock.

T. B. Graham spent Saturday night and Sunday in Dallas.

Hazel Rose spent Saturday night with Juanita Graham.

Norine Floyd left Saturday night for Van where she will spend several days and then she will visit in Arkansas with relatives for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Floyd attended church at Pursley Sunday evening.

Clayton Baggett visited Arthur Floyd Sunday morning.

Ernest Floyd and Ed Johnson left for Gilmer Sunday.

Lucille Graham spent Saturday with Betty Morrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Sanders have returned to their home here after visiting relatives in Jester.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Lawrence of Dawson attended Sunday school here Sunday.

**Aged Resident of Oakwood Died While Visiting Sister**

MENIA, July 14.—(Spl.)—Funeral services were held Saturday for Andy Miller, 73, at Oakwood, Leon county. Mr. Miller died at the home of his sister, Mrs. Jim Wimbish, at Groesbeck, Friday. He had been visiting his sister when he was suddenly stricken with paralysis and died in a few days. His home was in Oakwood. Surviving are his wife and one daughter, Miss Lillian Aline Miller of Oakwood, two brothers, W. L. Miller of Mexia and Sam Miller of Hillsboro, and three sisters, Mrs. Lulu Wimbish of Groesbeck, Miss Oro Miller and Mrs. Aline LaFever of Hillsboro.

**Salvation Army Starts Open Air Revival Meeting**

The Corsicana Salvation Army corps, under the direction of Ensign and Mrs. William Stevenson, opened an open-air revival meeting on Sunday night at the old municipal ball park. Meetings will continue for 10 days. Ensign Stevenson's sermon was entitled, "Our Night." The general public is cordially invited to attend the meeting.

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## RALEIGH

RALEIGH, July 16.—(Spl.)—Mr. and Mrs. Will Pevchouse and family spent a few days last week with Mrs. Eller Reeves of Hampton county.

Ray Hollingsworth and Jack Husted attended the ice cream supper at Bryan Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thelma McCulloch and children attended church at Navarro Mills Sunday.

McClie Joe Hollingsworth and her brother, Walter, spent a few days last week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hollingsworth at Frost.

Mr. and Mrs. Nig Melton and children were in the Dresden community Monday.

Misses Helen Gist and Lillie Nut spent Sunday with Irene Husted.

Mr. and Mrs. Nat Moore and baby of East Texas were in this community last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Warren were Corsicana visitors Saturday.

Ariel Price, Harvie Hollingsworth, John Reeves and Bob Burns visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Caldwell Sunday afternoon.

Miss McClellie and Ora L. Brinson visited in the home of Miss Iona Garrett Sunday.

Harvie Hollingsworth had as his dinner guests Sunday Charlie Garrett, Roy Hollingsworth and Ariel Price.

Walter Hollingsworth spent Sunday with Hershie Reed.

Buddy Curry spent a few days last week with his aunt and uncle Mr. and Mrs. Will Warren of Dawson.

Mary Price and Jessie Smith spent Sunday with Katharine Tucker.

Syble Terry spent Saturday night with her grandmother, Mrs. M. A. Price.

Sam Curry was a Corsicana visitor Monday.

Dollie Hollingsworth of Frost was in this community Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Arch Vest and daughter, Blanche of Irene, was in this community Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Caldwell, daughter Cecile, granddaughters Lillie Belle and Miss Lucy Melton were Corsicana visitors Saturday.

Miss Lillie Belle Kirk spent Sunday with Eldridge Markum.

James Hollingsworth visited in the home of Henry Caldwell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Hollingsworth and children spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Caldwell.

Mrs. E. Reeves and children spent a few hours in the home of Mrs. Bob Burns Sunday afternoon.

Tincy McCulloch of Alliance Hall spent last week with his brother, Harvie McCulloch.

Misses Lucy Melton of Dresden and Cecile Caldwell were Frost visitors Saturday afternoon.

Weldon and Wendie Warren spent Saturday with their grandparents, Mrs. J. W. Curry.

J. W. Curry, Nig Melton, John Revere and Will Hollingsworth

## SILVER CITY

SILVER CITY, July 16.—(Spl.)—Mr. and Mrs. Bessie Whittenberg and Mrs. Wess Whittenberg spent Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Dent Farmer.

Russell Farmer went to Board Tuesday to visit his wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Reno.

Miss Geline Hall spent Wednesday afternoon with Misses Idell and Floy Springer.

A few of the young folks of this community enjoyed a party at Mr. and Mrs. Marvin McNabb's Tuesday night.

Mrs. Fred and Ernest Springer and Richard Griffin were blooming Grove visitors Wednesday afternoon.

Every light shower fell here Wednesday afternoon with much wind and sand before the shower. No damage was reported.

Miss Floy Springer visited Misses Ruth, Emma, Inez Peden Wednesday afternoon.

Jack Springer is spending this summer with his grandparents.

Misses Idell and Floy Springer and Geline Hall and Mrs. Springer visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Stought at Blooming Grove Saturday afternoon.

Silver City won over Milford Saturday afternoon in a baseball game. The score was 2 and 5.

Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Farmer and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Farmer and Miss Geline Hall spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Asberry Farmer of Alliance Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Johnson spent Saturday night in the home of Jim Peden, and Mr. Johnson accompanied Jim Peden to Corsicana on business Friday.

Mrs. Marvin McNabb visited Mrs. Ruben Ives Saturday afternoon.

Silver City played two baseball games Sunday with Purdon and Hox Eye and won both of them.

spend a few days last week at the mouth of Richland fishing.

Bob Burns, John Reeves, Harvie and Clint Hollingsworth were Frost visitors Saturday.

A number of people from this community enjoyed a swim in Richland creek Sunday afternoon.

A nice little shower fell in this community Monday afternoon.

Miss Eva Pearl Garrett visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hightower Saturday afternoon.

Miss Jewel Fletcher and children of Dresden spent Sunday with her father, Mr. Otto Barry.

**Petrified Melon On Display Here**

What appears to be a petrified cantaloupe is now on display at the Vogue cafe and is attracting considerable comment and attention. The circular mass of stone is about the shape of a fair-sized melon, and the interior follows out the contours. The center has been filled with a different deposit from that on the outside.

The oddity was found by John Rinchhart, superintendent, of one of the F. P. McElwath paving gangs.

## CORBET

CORBET, July 16.—(Spl.)—Mrs. M. L. Hanks and family of Corsicana visited Mrs. D. F. Roman and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. N. Green of Navarro visited their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Green, from Thursday to Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Sears and family spent a few hours in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Burns Sunday afternoon.

Misses Dorothy Covington and Vera Crawford visited Miss Addie Bee Phillips on Wednesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Kirby and daughter, Billie Mae and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Coley and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Green Sunday.

Miss Ruth Hanks of Corsicana spent Sunday with Mrs. Bob Nokes.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Slone and son, Bryant, visited Mr. Slone's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Slone of Pickett last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Crawford, Mrs. Clyde Osborne and daughter, and Homer Crawford visited R. A. Ellis of Farrar Sunday, who is seriously ill.

Mrs. James Coffey of Jester is quite ill in the home of her parents here, Mr. and Mrs. John Prince.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nokes and sons, Troy and Clyde Garland, spent the day with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Osborne on Thursday of last week.

Misses Roby Jo Roman and Dorothy Covington visited Mrs. Virgil Wilcox of Corsicana Thursday night of last week.

Misses Ellen Bell Kirby and Dorothy Covington visited Miss Vera Crawford Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Ruth of Corsicana spent a few hours with Mr. Ruth's sister, Mrs. M. E. Roman and family Sunday night.

Miss Ellen Bell Kirby visited Miss Addie Bee Phillips on Thursday of last week.

Mrs. D. F. Roman and daughter, Miss Roby, and Miss Pauline Kirby were shopping in Corsicana Tuesday.

The Baptist meeting came to a close Sunday with seven additions to the church, five of whom joined on the coming of letter. They were Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Sears and daughter, Lorraine; Clyde Osborne and Mrs. Phillips. Those joining and receiving baptism were Pearl Clark and Mrs. S. Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ross and baby, Geraldine, visited relatives in Malakoff from Sunday to Tuesday. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Herman Owens and baby and Newburn Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Slone and son, Bryant, spent a few hours in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Roman Tuesday afternoon.

Misses Vera Crawford and Addie Bee Phillips visited Misses Pauline and Ellen Bell Kirby Friday.

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## ROANE

ROANE, July 16.—(Spl.)—Glenn Darrell and Lilah Thornton from the State Orphans Home visited their grandmother, Mrs. G. W. Thornton Friday.

Mrs. J. C. Frazier and Mrs. R. E. Bush entertained the primary Sunday school Saturday afternoon with a picnic at the park.

Mrs. Batson Bass has returned home from Dallas after several weeks' visit to relatives there.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Kent and children were Corsicana visitors Saturday.

Misses Sallie and Mary Burks of Marvin Chapel visited Mrs. Lewis Burks Sunday morning.

We are sorry to report that Miss Carrie Black is on the sick list this week.

Mrs. Blanche Crabtree of Dallas spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Frazier.

Miss Letha Curry was a Corsicana visitor Friday.

"Sonny" Estes of Corsicana is spending the week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John Estes.

W. E. Hutson and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Miley of Emhouse.

Miss Dorothy Clarkston spent Saturday night and Sunday with Misses Norma Lee and Deenie Blackwell.

Mrs. John Owens entertained with a party Saturday night.

Miss Ida Mae Price of Eureka is spending the week with her sister, Mrs. Jessie Burrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Hickson and children visited relatives in Waco over the week-end.

"Grandpa" Holcomb of Rockwall county spent last week with his son, J. E. Holcomb.

Miss Margaret Burnett spent the week-end with Miss Lillie London of Powell.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Gay and children spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Powell of Black Hills.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bragg and Mrs. Ed Warren and children of Corsicana visited Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Estes Thursday evening.

Several from here attended the zone meeting in Corsicana Sunday afternoon.

Miss Nadine Mills and Billie Thompson of Dallas are visiting their grandmother, Mrs. G. W. Thornton.

A. Q. Thornton of Marvin Chapel was a Roane visitor Friday afternoon.

Mrs. E. P. Estes and daughter, Margaret, and Mrs. Jim Estes and daughter, Edna, spent Thursday with Mrs. John Estes.

Mrs. John Davis visited Mrs. G. W. Thornton Friday evening.

Miss Pauline Pickering had her tonsils and adenoids removed and her many friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Miss Muriel Goodman of Corsicana spent the week with Miss Gladys Holloway.

Mrs. R. E. Bush entertained the intermediate B. Y. P. U. with a social Saturday at the park.

Mrs. H. P. Fluker and son, Glenn Earl, were Corsicana visitors Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Massey, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fluker, Mr.

## RICHLAND

RICHLAND, July 16.—(Spl.)—John C. Stevens had his tonsils removed last week and is doing very nicely.

Mrs. Arthur Edwards and daughters of Houston have been the guests of their sister and aunt, Mrs. Van Elkins and family the past week.

Millard and Clyde Shelton of Houston were the guests of home folks the 4th.

Millard Shelton sails for New York from Houston July 18. We wish him a pleasant trip.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Stone spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Vernon Keeling near Wortham.

Mrs. Alton Eddins, Mrs. John Lansford and daughter Larea, motored to Round Prairie one day last week, and Mrs. Eddins returned home with them for a visit with her son, Alton Eddins and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Odom enjoyed a 6 o'clock dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Friday eve, July 10th.

Mrs. Cook has moved in to Neal Brown's house on the east side.

E. S. Allen and family accompanied Miss Alene Williams to Waco, Norwood Call and James Albert Young of Dallas, were visitors in the home of C. L. Call last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cagle and baby, Reba Sue, Mrs. John Mixon and little son, Billie, spent last Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Herring at Alliance Hall.

Will Cheek and Joe Welch were in Blooming Grove last Friday afternoon.

Jim Cagle and family spent last Thursday and Friday night with Mrs. Cagle's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Berryhill at Bell Point.

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Norwood Call and mother, Mrs. E. P. Cagle were in Alliance Hall last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Sims and daughter, Tennie Mable, were in Corsicana last week.

U. Jell Herring went home last Tuesday after a week's stay with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Cagle.

**Picnic supplies—Paper plates, spoons, cups, napkins, table covers, baskets—City Book Store.**

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## DRESDEN

DRESDEN, July 16.—(Spl.)—Mr. and Mrs. Heath Blake and children of Black Hills spent last Sunday afternoon with his father, J. H. Blake.

Mr. and Mrs. John Mixon and son, Billie Howard, of Peoria, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Herring of Alliance Hall were week-end guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Cagle.

Mr. and Mrs. Winston Knight of Bryan spent last Sunday afternoon with relatives in Dresden community.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis McGovern spent last Saturday night and Sunday with her father, R. E. Cunningham and family of Alliance Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Herring spent last Sunday night with Mr. and Mrs. John Yates and family at Alliance Hall.

Dr. S. F. Call and son, Charles, of Waco, Norwood Call and James Albert Young of Dallas, were visitors in the home of C. L. Call last Sunday.

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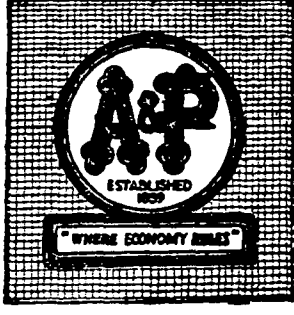
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29c	5c	43c
Blue Peter Sardines in olive oil, 2 cans	A & P Cider Vinegar 2, 12-oz. bottles	A & P Peanut Butter 2, 8-oz. jars
19c	15c	25c
Rinso Flakes, large package for	21c	
Life Buoy Health Soap, 3cakes	19c	
Encore Olive Oil, 2--3-oz. bottles	25c	
Nectar Orange Pekoe Tea 1-4 lb. 15c; 1-2 lb.	29c	
White House Milk 3 tall or 6 small cans	Rajah Salad Dressing 8-oz. jars 15c; Pint jar 27c	Plain Olives Quart jar 39c; 6-ounce jar 21c; 3 1-2 oz. jar 14c
20c		
Raw Milk, qt. bottle 9c; pint bottle	5c	
Pure Granulated Sugar, 10 pounds	50c	
8-lb. pail Acorn or White Cloud Shortening	86c	

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# Interesting News From Navarro County Towns

## THREE WAY

THREE WAY, July 16.—(Spl.)—The farmers are still needing rain. Mr. and Mrs. Earl Darden of Waco spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. George Darden.

Garland Iyle and Nolan Forshaw went to Farmersville Tuesday and were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. John Fraley.

Mrs. Bytha Thomas, Mrs. Will Griffin and Mrs. W. E. Forshaw visited Mrs. Bula Iye Wednesday afternoon.

J. M. Williams and son, Bill, spent the day Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Edd Campbell of Navarro.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Griffin of Alma visited relatives and friends from Thursday till Sunday in Three Way.

Mrs. Alva Mae Thomas and sister, Celeste Gaddy, visited Mrs. Bula Iye Thursday afternoon.

Joe Davis and sister, Julia, of Van, visited their stepmother, Mrs. Mollie Davis, Saturday night and Sunday, and were accompanied home by Mr. Davis.

Quite a few relatives and friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Williams Sunday, July 12 to celebrate Mr. Williams' 70th birthday anniversary. Dinner was served picnic style in their back yard in the shade of the trees.

Everyone one present enjoyed the day. Those present were seven of their eight children: Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ellis and family of Blooming Grove, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Williams and little son of Mildred, Mrs. Edd Campbell and children of Navarro, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Williams and family of Alma, Mr. and Mrs. Garland Iyle and son of Three Way, and sons, Frank and Bill, Mrs. P. J. Ellis and son, Allen, of Blooming Grove, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Ellis and son of near Purdon, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Iye of Three Way, Mr. and Mrs. Oather Hobbs and little son, and Mrs. Hobbs' sister, Bessie of Bryan; Buford Lewis of Corsicana, and Frances Louise Henderson. All went away happy, wishing Mr. Williams many more happy birthdays.

Mr. and Mrs. Connie North and son of Dallas visited his father, Bill North, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Early Hubbard and daughter, Clyde, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Hubbard and son of Navarro Hills, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Iye Thursday night.

Frank Williams and Misses Bessie and Jessie Ingram, Eva Griffin, Lucille Hagie, Frances Louise Henderson and Novelle Cecelious motored to Corsicana Tuesday night of last week and enjoyed a delightful picnic in the city park and then attended a picture show.

Mrs. W. E. Forshaw and Mrs. Avis Williams visited their sister, Mrs. Bula Iye Friday afternoon.

Mrs. Mamie Campbell and children of Navarro are spending the week with home folks.

"Grandma" Moore returned home Sunday of last week after a two weeks visit with her son, Willie, of Milford.

Mrs. Boss Tadlock and daughters, Fannie, Emma, Johnnie Ray and Mrs. Roberta McNabb, visited Mrs. Bula Iye Saturday.

Little William Griffin is on the sick list at this writing.

Mrs. Ruth Farmer and daughter, Letha, of Purdon, and Mrs. Will Griffin were in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wess Whittenburg Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Bell Gaddy and daughters, Alva Mae and Helen, and Mrs. A. C. Mitchell and children, visited Mrs. Bula Iye Sunday evening.

Richard Griffin was in Corsicana Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Griffin and children spent the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Kay Ellis and family.

Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Farmer, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Farmer and children spent Sunday with Asberry Farmer and family.

Mr. and Mrs. George Darden and children were in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rhubia Iye a while Sunday night.

Miss Lorene Griffin spent the day Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Griffin.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Thomas spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Cecelious spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Edd Woods of Alliance Hall.

Mrs. Will Griffin was in the home of her son, Lloyd, Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul North of Dallas spent a few days last week with his father, Bill North.

Mr. and Mrs. Huse Tickle and son spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Tickle of Babylon.

Victor Henderson and Bates Davis spent Sunday with Iba Thomas.

Frank and Bill Williams were in Blooming Grove Monday morning on business.

## Hair Cut 25c

The Family Barber Shop; 7 chairs; 7 licensed barbers; first class work guaranteed.—FAMILY BARBER SHOP, 123 N. Beaton St.

## BELL POINT

BELL POINT, July 16.—(Spl.)—The crops in this community are needing rain.

Mrs. M. V. McElwath of Purdon spent Monday with her sister, Mrs. J. L. Tadlock.

Carl Smith visited in the home of Henry Jayroe Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Putman and J. L. Tadlock were business visitors in Corsicana Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaddy visited Clarence Putman Tuesday night.

Several from this community have been attending the revival meeting at Purdon.

Bates Davis spent a few days with Claude Putman of Dawson last week.

Mrs. Fannie Slaughter spent Tuesday and Wednesday with Mrs. Eunice Jayroe.

Miss L. E. Farmer visited Beatrice Jayroe Wednesday morning.

Miss Cora Lee Ricketts spent Wednesday night with Edna Tadlock.

Mrs. J. E. Horton and Mrs. Martin Smith and children spent Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Luther Hodges of Purdon.

Mrs. M. E. Davis and daughter, Mrs. Eunice Putman, spent Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. J. L. Tadlock and daughters.

Little Carl York is on the sick list this week.

Miss Lizzie Mae Slaughter and Mrs. Ruth Peden spent one day last week with Mrs. George York.

Miss Julia Davis and Joe Davis of Van spent Saturday and Sunday with friends and relatives here.

J. L. Tadlock, Joe Davis, Clarence Putman and Bates Davis were Milford visitors Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. M. E. Davis is spending a few days this week with her stepchildren at Van.

Buster Whittenburg and children were in this community Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Horton and children spent Saturday afternoon in Corsicana.

J. M. Horton of the Bryan community spent Saturday with his son, J. E. Horton.

Mr. and Mrs. Dock Brown and children spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Elmore Horton.

Misses Nellie Bell and Cora Lee Ricketts attended Sunday school at Purdon Sunday morning.

## MIDWAY

MIDWAY, July 16.—(Spl.)—The crops are all needing rain around here.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Berry, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hemmel here, has returned to their home in Port Arthur.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hilton of Midway were Milford visitors Saturday.

Misses Hazel McClure visited Miss Fay Ellis Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Mitchell were in the home of E. R. Ellis Monday afternoon.

Joe Clanton and Edward Thompson spent Saturday night with Jack Frank.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Frank visited their daughter, Mrs. Horace McCauley of Midway.

Era Mae and A. J. Curry of Condit are spending several weeks with their grandmother, Mrs. E. R. Ellis, of Midway.

Grace and Cecil Hemmel of Midway were Hillsboro visitors Saturday.

Come and help us out with our singing every Sunday night.

Earline Ellis and Era Mae Curry visited Misses Robbie and Georgia Dillard Sunday afternoon.

Jim Lillard and daughters, Cree and Christine, are Malone visitors now.

Mrs. H. H. Frank visited Mrs. E. R. Ellis here Monday.

Midway and Binden played ball Sunday, the score being 12 to 2 in favor of Midway.

Thorman McCauley is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Mitchell of Midway were Hillsboro visitors Saturday.

## EMMETT

EMMETT, July 16.—(Spl.)—Sam Powers and daughter, Fae, are visiting in Corpus Christi.

Miss Essie Gill is spending a week in Dallas with Gracie Mae Butler.

Mrs. W. L. Bratcher is spending a week with her father at Milford.

Pete Morrison is in the hospital at Corsicana.

Leroy and Wayne Williams of Fort Worth are spending a week with Mrs. Jenny Grant.

Miss Essie Grant is spending a week with her sister-in-law, Bessie Grant, of Kerens.

Misses Louise Butler and Flo Grant spent the day with Misses Emma and Alma Bratcher last Wednesday.

George Lee Butler has returned home from Dallas after a two-weeks' vacation.

Walter French went to Dawson Tuesday on business.

Misses Margaret and Vera White of Palestine were here last week visiting their friends.

The 4-H club ladies entertained their husbands Friday night with a sandwich supper.

Miss Alma Bratcher spent the day with Louise Butler last Friday.

Betty Braddock of Fort Worth is visiting her mother, Mrs. Fannie French, last week.

Hubert Brandler of Kemp has been visiting his cousin, Louise.

Mr. and Mrs. Lessie Ellis and daughter of Frost visited Mrs. Andy Davis last Sunday.

Alton Osborne was in Frost Thursday on business.

Misses Lena Ruth Ballew and Grace Evans were in Irene Friday night.

Miss Mary Dell McAfee entertained a large crowd at her home last Wednesday night with a slumber party.

Miss Essie Rave Ballew is spending a week in Corsicana with her husband, E. B. Ballew.

Misses Ethel and Willie Caskey spent last Sunday with Mrs. Molly Daniels.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Butler and family spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Edd Butler.

Mrs. Witt Sullivan is spending a week in Temple.

The Baptist revival at Emmett will start the fourth Friday night in July.

## ALLIANCE HALL

ALLIANCE HALL, July 16.—(Spl.)—Beck Green was carried to Waco Tuesday afternoon to undergo an operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Thompson and children and Ben and Dixie Thompson, Essie and Dixie Currington spent the day with Fina Thompson and family Tuesday at Dresden.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Thompson and children spent the day Wednesday with Ben Thompson.

Marvin Burke visited Pete Currington Friday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Widener and children spent last week in East Texas.

Pete Currington visited Cecil Evans Friday afternoon.

"Grandmother" Widener visited Mrs. G. W. Marlowe Saturday morning.

Mrs. Dave Hampton visited Mrs. G. W. Marlowe Friday afternoon.

Pete Currington and Raymond Cunningham were Bryan visitors Saturday night.

Mrs. G. W. Marlowe was carried to the Baptist Sanitarium at Waco Sunday.

Mrs. Edd Call and son Norwood of Dallas visited in the home of Jess Widener and family Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Widener and children returned from East Texas Saturday.

Miss Ruby Chandler of East Texas is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Jess Widener this week.

Mrs. R. T. Taylor was carried to the Baptist Sanitarium at Waco Sunday.

Bob Cunningham and son, Raymond, were Frost visitors Sunday morning.

Miss Florence French is on the sick list this week.

## SPRING HILL

SPRING HILL, July 16.—(Spl.)—A nice shower of rain fell Monday afternoon which cooled the air and we hope was a help to the crops.

E. P. Garner and daughter, Miss Connie, L. D. Holiday, Mr. and Mrs. Will Priddy and son, Herschel, Mrs. Alice Rally and sons visited in the home of R. H. Priddy Sunday afternoon.

Miss Gladys Cook visited Miss Roberta Thorton Sunday and Monday.

L. L. Barton is visiting in East Texas this week.

M. B. Berry, Virgil Matthews and Willard Marlowe were in Corsicana Monday.

Misses Elizabeth Fort and Bertha Pendergrass visited Miss Gladys Cook Saturday morning.

Mrs. J. A. Bills and children visited Mrs. C. A. Fort Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Bill Tekell visited Mrs. Frank Tekell recently.

Mrs. Johnnie Hagie and Mrs. Carl Cook Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Parrish and son, Houston, of Parrishville, spent Thursday night with Mrs. Hassie Parrish.

Miss Emily Parrish spent Sunday night with Mrs. Virgil Matthews.

Miss Gladys Cook visited Mrs. John Adams one morning last week.

Mrs. Willard Marlowe and daughter, Lorne, spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Matthews.

We are glad to report Miss Linda Fort able to walk on her foot after being bitten by a copperhead snake last week.

Miss Annie Tekell visited Mrs. Carl Cook Monday evening.

Mrs. Lamar Moody spent Sunday night with Mrs. L. L. Barton.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Parrish, Mrs. Hassie Parrish and daughter, Mrs. Lamon Moody and little son, Don Lamon spent Sunday with Mrs. Mary Slater.

Quite a few people are attending the meeting at Navarro Mills this week.

Mrs. Virgie Matthews visited Mrs. Carl Matthews of Dawson Saturday afternoon.

Jack Anderson of Frost was in Spring Hill Sunday afternoon.

## CRYER CREEK

CRYER CREEK, July 16.—(Spl.)—Mr. and Mrs. Tom Collins and son, John Nicholson attended singing Friday night at I. O. O. F. Home.

Willie Holditch spent Wednesday night with his son, Turner Holditch.

Rev. and Mrs. C. R. Rhodes and daughter, Larue, visited Mrs. L. R. Hale Tuesday afternoon.

Charlie Holditch ate birthday dinner with Mrs. L. R. Hale as she celebrated her 76th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Walker, Miss Sudie Lois Holditch and Mr. and Mrs. Barber attended the singing at the I. O. O. F. Home Friday night.

E. J. Cruse and daughter, Miss Jewel, made a business trip to Reager Springs Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay DeRusha and children were in Corsicana Tuesday.

E. J. Cruse was in Corsicana Wednesday.

Johnnie Arnett is on the sick list.

Rev. W. T. Boulware and daughter, Tommie Gene, of Wortham, Charlie Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Williams went to Hico Saturday for a couple of weeks to conduct a revival meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Clay DeRusha entertained the young people with a party Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill McGraw and Mrs. and Mrs. D. L. Collins were in Corsicana Saturday.

The revival meeting is going to start Saturday night, July 18.

Tennis Rackets—Wonderful values—They're cheaper now—\$1.35 to \$12.50—Spalding balls, 3 for \$1.00—City Book Store.

## FROST

FROST, July 16.—(Spl.)—Rod Bason of Las Cruces, New Mexico, is here on business.

Willie Benton of Palestine spent the week-end here with home-folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Bunk Hyer visited relatives in Austin the first of the week.

Mrs. Rual Hays and children of Kilgore are guests of her father, Mr. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Goodman and son of Goose Creek were week-end guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jno. Dean.

Mr. and Mrs. Murry Beene and baby of Las Cruces, New Mexico, are guests of Mrs. Beene's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Melfon.

Mrs. S. E. Gaines and Miss Lener Faye Brown motored to Hillsboro Monday morning.

Miss Allene Sanders spent Saturday and Sunday at home and had as her guests Miss Ella Stratman of Shiner, who is attending T. C. U.

Miss Miriam Blythe returned to Dallas to assume her studies at St. Paul's Sanitarium.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Hobbs of Teague were guests Saturday night and Sunday of their mother, Mrs. Mollie Spencer.

Saunders, Jimmie Scott, Claude Stubbfield and Freddie Sheppard of Gladewater spent Sunday with their home folks.

Jerry Sam Scott, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Scott was carried to Dallas Saturday night and was operated upon for appendicitis, and is doing nicely at this time.

Julius Goldman and Jimmie Waring of Corsicana were Frost visitors Saturday.

Mrs. G. L. Haley and little daughter, Patty Lo returned home Monday from a visit in Waxahachie and Milford.

Mrs. Virginia McSpadden and children of Galveston were guests Saturday of her sister, Mrs. Jas. Merrell.

Pig King of Hillsboro was in Frost Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gant and son Ralph were Corsicana visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brooks, Mrs. Jess Riden, Mrs. Thelma Henely and daughter, Virginia Jane of Fort Worth were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Smith.

Mrs. W. A. Sims gave a surprise birthday dinner in honor of her husband and grandson Malcolm Moore. Mr. Sims being 62 years of age and Malcolm 19 years. Mrs. Sims assisted by her daughter, Miss Kate, served a lovely three course menu. Those present were S. S. Hooser, J. B. Shaw, A. H. Strain, R. L. Templeton, Walter Smith, J. C. Beck, Dick Gaines, Ab Ledford, Freddie Sheppard, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Sheppard and Mrs. C. H. Hyer, Jr., Amos Scott, Jr., Edwin Sheppard, Bud Baird, Goodman Stockard and Terrell Scott.

Mrs. Ethel Miller visited in Waxahachie Saturday and Sunday.

Searey Hefflin visited here this week.

Mrs. Tom Means and Mrs. P. G. Griffin motored to Ennis Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Ethel Cole made a business trip to Dallas Tuesday.

I. A. Sanders was in Waxahachie Monday afternoon.

Miss Ruth Ellis returned home Friday from a visit in Dallas.

Miss Nellie Lattimore left Monday for Fairfield, Iowa.

Mrs. C. C. Childs of Jacksonville and Mrs. Jno. Bergess of Rose Pine, La., were guests on Thursday and Friday of their brother, Jno. E. Lattimore and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Bonnett motored to Corsicana Sunday to visit Jerry Sam Scott, who is in a sanitarium.

## POWELL

POWELL, July 16.—(Spl.)—Mrs. J. A. Wilkerson and two children of Blooming Grove were week end guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Elliott.

Misses Lola and Lois Ferguson were in Corsicana shopping Saturday.

Dr. Pulley of Trinidad attended to business here Monday.

Mrs. Dock Lonon and daughter, Lillie, motored to Corsicana Saturday.

Miss Marguerite Bray is visiting in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wilson and two small daughters of Gainesville are guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bunch this week.

James Albert Jackson visited friends in Dallas Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Campbell and small son, Guy Garrett, of Richmond spent Saturday night and Sunday with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hanks and son, Pete, motored to Troup Sunday.

Misses Christine Burk of San Saba and Mary Ella Burke of Corsicana were guests of Miss Floy Lapks several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Miles and daughters, Emma D. and Ellen Carolyn, spent Saturday in Corsicana.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Pevehouse of Blooming Grove visited relatives here Sunday.

John Christian attended to business in Corsicana Monday.

Miss Winnie Ellett of Memphis, Tenn., will leave Friday for the home of uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Elliott.

Miss Virgie Mae Ware of Corsicana visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Ware, Sunday.

Mrs. John Christian and Mrs. Fitz Kenner were Corsicana visitors Saturday.

Miss Alma Melton left Wednesday for Gilmer, where she will be the guest of her sister, Mrs. Joe Quinn.

Mrs. E. E. Baltzagar motored to Corsicana Tuesday for her home after a week's stay in the home of her sister, Mrs. Mollie Adams and other relatives.

Miss Mary Virginia Hutson of Navarro spent last week with her grandmother, Mrs. Mollie Adams and other relatives.

Miss Mrs. Buffington of Canby, Miss. are visiting in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Oscar Bancroft. They will be here two weeks.

Mrs. Carl Christian is visiting relatives in Port Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Clint Bonds and two small daughters, Jean and

## BLOOMING GROVE

BLOOMING GROVE, July 16.—(Spl.)—Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Harris have as their guest this week, Mrs. Harris' grandfather, Mr. Adcherio, from New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Pitts of Dawson were here last week end.

Miss Mary Ruth Walker has returned from a visit to Wichita Falls.

J. J. Gillen and Mr. and Mrs. Drew Gillen went to Abilene last Monday.

Mrs. R. E. McCormick and son, Bob, have returned from a visit to their parents in Tyler.

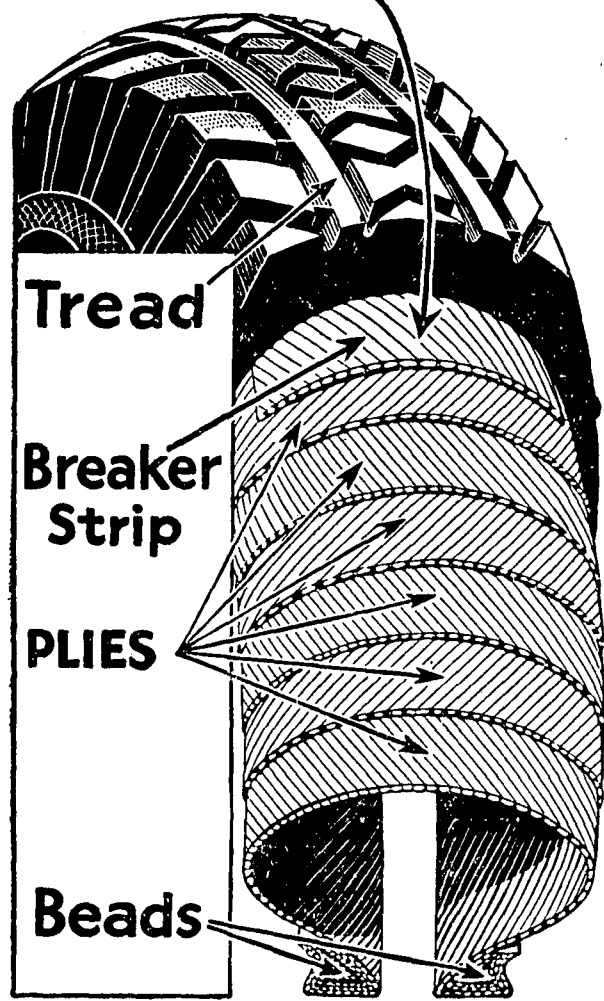
Mrs. Alma Cohen and son, Clarence, of Dallas were here Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. L. I. Griffin.





# ANY TIRE manufacturer or dealer who tells you a "breaker strip" is a "ply"—or that tire performance depends on weight—deceives you.

## BEWARE THE MAN WHO TELLS YOU **THIS** IS A PLY . . . . .



It is NOT A PLY, it is a breaker strip! The National Better Business Bureau defines a "ply" as follows—

"A ply is one of a number of layers of rubberized cotton fabric, either cord or square woven, extending from bead to bead, and forming the body of the tire."

Four or six plies form the carcass or the body of the tire. If the fabric does NOT extend entirely around the tire from **BEAD TO BEAD**, IT IS NOT A PLY. The illustration points out the difference between a ply and a breaker strip. It also points out the "beads."

Certain manufacturers and dealers, jealous of Ward's commanding position in the tire industry, have made misleading statements about Ward's tires. They have published and displayed misleading charts—they have shown sections of obsolete tires—they compare their "second line" tires with our "first line" tires—and now in advertising and selling talks, "breaker strips" are being called "plys." These misleading statements, however, are cleverly worded and the breaker strip is called "a ply under the tread." No twisting of words, however, can turn a **BREAKER STRIP** into a PLY. Every tire manufacturer and dealer knows it, AND WE BELIEVE THE CUSTOMER, TOO, IS ENTITLED TO KNOW THE FACTS.

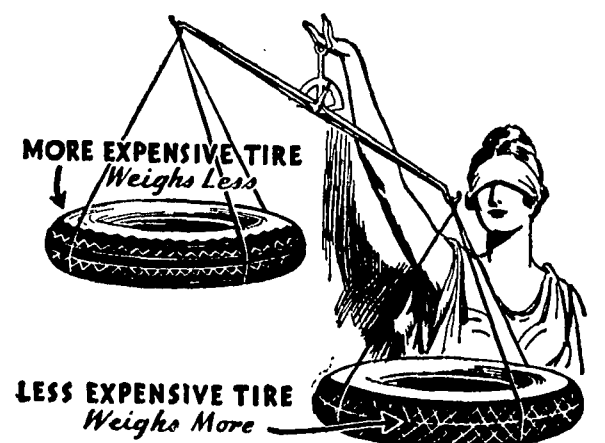
## BEWARE THE MAN WHO SAYS WEIGHT DENOTES SUPERIORITY

Many readers are familiar with the recent Firestone ads which compare Firestone tires with unidentified mail order tires. Weight has been given prominence as one of the items of comparison. Montgomery Ward & Co. maintains that weight is NOT AN INDICATION OF TIRE QUALITY.

We recently purchased five Firestone Oldfield tires and five Firestone High Speed tires—the High Speed tire is more expensive than the Oldfield. These tires were carefully weighed by Dr. Ellery H. Harvey, and the results are shown in the statement at the right.

In the first place, note that there is a variation of five ounces between the heaviest and the lightest Oldfield, and that there is a six-ounce variation between the heaviest and the lightest Firestone High Speed. **MOST IMPORTANT OF ALL NOTE THAT THE AVERAGE WEIGHT OF THE OLDFIELD IS ONE POUND FIVE OUNCES HEAVIER THAN THE AVERAGE WEIGHT OF THE HIGH SPEED TIRES.** If

weight denotes superiority, why is the cheaper Firestone tire heavier than the more expensive Firestone tire? Surely this should convince any unbiased person how ridiculous it is to consider weight an indication of tire quality. Again we say, **WE BELIEVE THE CUSTOMER IS ENTITLED TO KNOW THE FACTS.**



On June 20, 1931, I weighed five Firestone Oldfield tires on a tested Howe scale. Immediately after on the same scale I weighed five Firestone four ply High Speed tires. All ten tires were size 4-50-21. They weighed as follows:

Firestone Oldfield	Firestone 4-Ply High Speed
17 lbs. 11 oz.	16 lbs. 2 oz.
17 lbs. 8 oz.	16 lbs. 5 oz.
17 lbs. 9 oz.	16 lbs. 1 oz.
17 lbs. 6 oz.	16 lbs. 7 oz.
17 lbs. 7 oz.	16 lbs. 3 oz.
17 lbs. 9 oz.	16 lbs. 2 oz.
<b>Avg. wt. per tire 17 lbs. 8 oz.</b>	<b>16 lbs. 3 oz.</b>

Variation between lightest and heaviest tire 5 oz. 6 oz.  
Dr. Ellery H. Harvey,  
Ward's Laboratory Chief  
Subscribed and sworn to before me this twenty-second day of June, nineteen hundred thirty-one, at Chicago, Ill.  
A. B. Stanton

# Here Is THE TRUTH About Ward's Riversides and Trail Blazers!

**The RIVERSIDE is our first quality tire.** It is made by one of the largest tire companies in the world. It is built to one of the most stringent sets of specifications in the tire industry. It has been sold by Ward's for 19 years. Millions are in use today. Riversides are backed by a guarantee without limit as to time or mileage. Other famous nationally advertised tires that are equal to Riversides are much higher priced than Riversides.

The table at the right gives you the sizes for size price comparison. Having studied the price comparison with other makes, the only question for you to ask is: "Are Riverside tires really as good as these other tires with which they are compared?" Well, Montgomery Ward & Co. is one of the largest and oldest merchandise institutions in the world. It is the originator of the "Satisfaction Guaranteed or Your Money Back" guarantee. It depends for its business not only on tires but also on some 40,000 other items of merchandise which it sells to you. Certainly it is reasonable to believe that Ward's is maintaining the truth in making these statements.

## COMPARE

SIZE	WARD'S RIVERSIDES (4-ply)	Firestone High Speed Goodyear All Weather Goodrich Silvertown	WARD'S RIVERSIDES Heavy Duty (6-ply)	Firestone Gum-Dipped High Speed Heavy Duty Goodyear All Weather Heavy Duty Goodrich Silvertown (6-ply)	WARD'S Trail Blazer	Firestone Oldfield Goodyear Pathfinder Goodrich Cavalier
29x4.40/21	\$4.95	\$7.05	\$7.15	\$10.10	\$4.55	\$4.98
30x4.50/21	5.69	7.85	7.48	10.80	5.15	5.69
28x4.75/19	6.68	8.55	8.30	11.15	5.95	6.65
29x5.00/19	7.00	9.15	8.90	12.25	6.30	6.98
30x5.00/20	7.10	9.40	9.10	12.60		
28x5.25/18	7.90	10.35	9.60	13.50		
31x5.25/21	8.55	11.40	10.25	14.75		
29x5.50/19	8.90	12.00	10.95	15.20		
30x5.50/20	9.00	12.50	11.10	16.10		

FREE MOUNTING SERVICE AT EVERY WARD STORE

**The TRAIL BLAZER is our second quality tire.** It is equal to any of the "second line" tires offered by well known tire companies. As you no doubt know, close to 90% of all newspaper advertising of the big tire companies is devoted to their "second line" tires, and it is these tires with which Trail Blazers compare. However, Trail Blazers SELL FOR LESS than other second line tires.

This combination of quality with lowest price which is offered by Ward's seems to have made some of our competitors very envious, so they are making and publishing misleading and incorrect statements about mail order tires. But they do not compare their first quality tires with our Riversides and their second quality tires with our Trail Blazers. They know to do so would immediately indicate how much lower Ward's tires are priced. So they have cunningly priced their "second line" tires at exactly our Riverside prices, and they print comparison tables which are intended to make people believe that their prices are the same as ours. Well, they are not. The chart at the left is a true comparison, quality for quality, and price for price.

# MONTGOMERY WARD & CO.



# BEAUMONT AND FORT WORTH GAIN ON HOUSTON AND DALLAS IN RAIN

## PANTHERS REACH TIE WITH STEERS IN FOURTH PLACE

SPUDDERS AND BUCCANERS DIVIDE BARGAIN BILL WEDNESDAY

BY BILL PARKER  
(Associated Press Sports Writer.)  
Because of rain Wednesday in Houston, the Buffaloes had to remain idle and watch the Beaumont Exporters gain on them—and for the same reason, the Dallas Steers, who were carded to play the Buffaloes, had to stand by and watch the Fort Worth Cats go into a tie with the Steers for fourth place.

The Exporters, holders of second place and gaining each day on the pace setting Buffaloes, trimmed Shreveport, 6 to 1 for their 11th victory in the second half. Izzy Goldstein held Shreveport to six hits, registering his 10th victory of the season. Moore pitched a five hit game for Shreveport, but his mates could not hit timely like the Exporters. Some phenomenal fielding by Schuble and Taylor aided Goldstein when the Sports threatened.

The Fort Worth Cats went into a tie with Dallas for fourth place when Lil Stoner turned back the San Antonio Indians, 7 to 2 for his 6th victory in seven starts. Three runs in the initial frames enabled Stoner to coast in, although he was touched for six hits, while the Cats only secured nine off Chief Moore. Five of Fort Worth's twelve hits went for extra bases. San Antonio had eleven runners stranded for want of timely hitting. The game was called in the eighth inning to allow Fort Worth to catch a train.

**Spuders-Buccs Split**  
Unreeling a doubleheader at Galveston, the Buccaneers uncovered a volley of hits to beat the Spudders in the first game 3 to 1, but the Spudders whipped back to take the mid-night affair 5 to 0. Some superb pitching by Bill Harris stopped Wichita Falls in the first game. Harris limited his opponents to five hits and bled them for eight consecutive innings. It made Harris' 8th victory of the season. Ballew, Bell and Pratt each scored two runs for the Buccaneers.

The second game saw Ash Hill smother the Buccaneers for a 5 to 0 victory, giving him his 11th triumph of the season. Thornton, Jen and Seydler tried to stop the Spudders, but had no luck. Thorndahl was wild and had to be relieved by Seydler in the third. Hill allowed five hits and was complete master throughout.

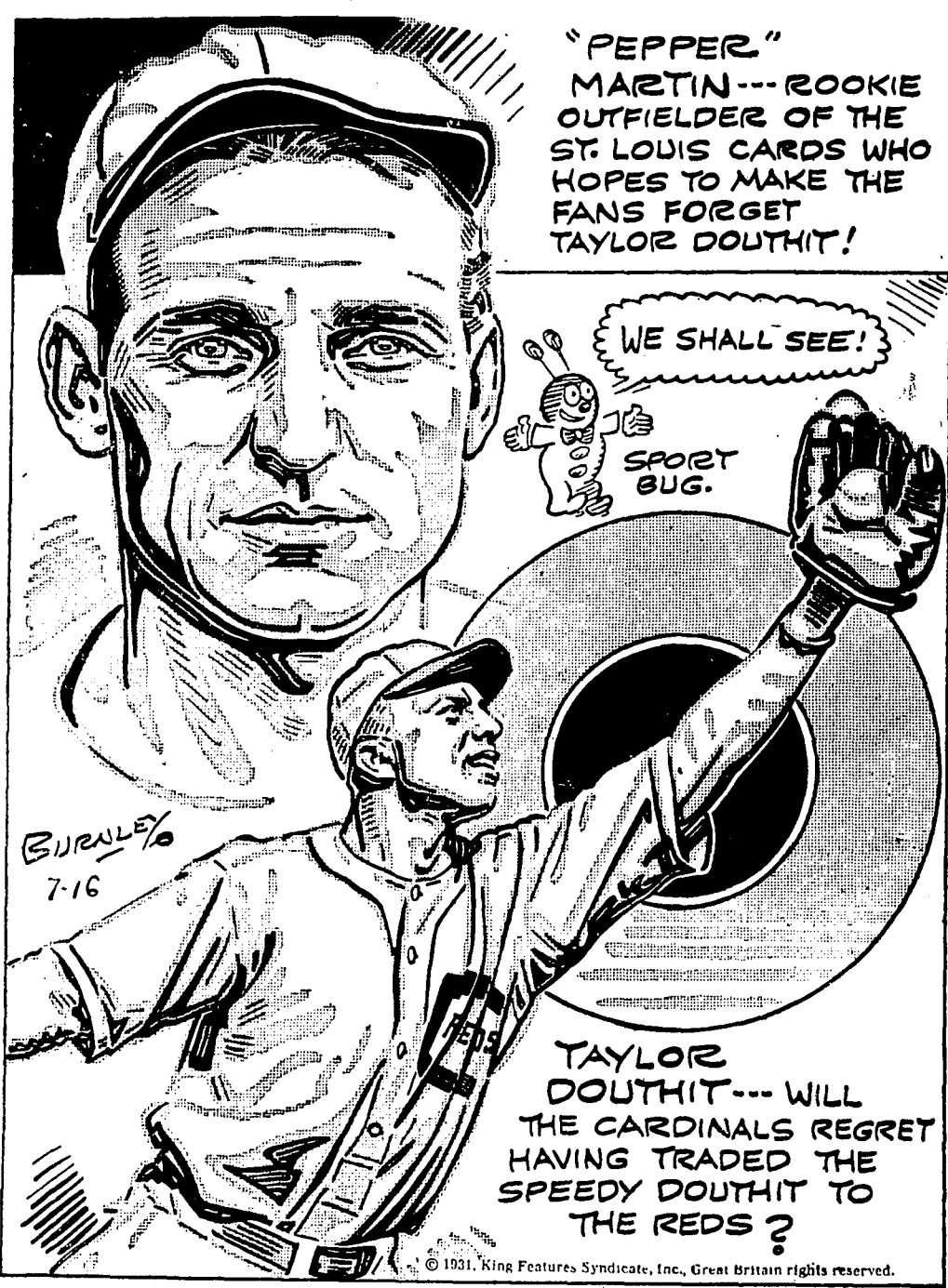
Today the clubs get a new deal with the following games scheduled:

Dallas at Beaumont, day game.  
Fort Worth at Galveston, night game.  
Shreveport at Houston, night game.  
Wichita Falls at San Antonio, night game.

**An Electric Fan**  
In your car makes driving a pleasure.  
TAYLOR ELECTRIC CO.

## "A Cardinal Principle"

By HARDIN BURNLEY



TAYLOR DOUTHIT--- WILL THE CARDINALS REGRET HAVING TRADED THE SPEEDY DOUTHIT TO THE REDS?

BASEBALL'S most active jurglers of diamond talent unquestionably are Sam Breardon and Branch Rickey, chiefs in control of the St. Louis Cardinals. How those magnates like to see new faces! Most of their team changes have been wise at that thus far. However, some Mound City National League patrons are still moaning over the recent deal whereby Taylor Douthit was exchanged for Walter Roettger, the Cincinnati Reds getting some cash besides in this swap of talented outfielders.

Douthit has been the Cardinals' regular center fielder since 1926. This year illness benched the one-time University of California Speaker and such a precocious substitute was found in the stocky person of John "Pepper" Martin. Douthit no longer was considered indispensable.

Martin is a product of the Rochester International League team, one of the Cardinals' numerous farms and nurseries. Originally an infielder, he was switched to the fielding and hitting position. He was nicknamed "Pepper" when playing with Port Smith, Ark., back in '25. He's 27 years old, was born in Temple, Okla., and has been in the Cardinals' system since 1925. As a pitcher, he was bought by the Cardinals and sent to Port Smith, Ark., same year; Syracuse, 1926; Houston, 1927, shifted from in to outfield; with Cards as utility man, 1928; Houston again, 1929; Rochester, 1930; and now one of the most talked-of new stars in the big leagues.

Douthit's sale directs attention to the Cardinals' chameleon changes in the past five years. Of the team that won the World Series in 1926 only Chick Hafey, Jess Haines and Jim Bottomley are left, and the latter is being eclipsed by Jim Colton, who has been in the Cardinals' system since 1926. Alexander, Sherdel, Bell, Southworth, O'Farrell, Thevenow, Reinhardt, and even the great Hornsby himself, are among those who have passed from Cardinals' rosters in the past five years.

A few—most notably Hornsby—have continued starting with other teams, but most of them have dimmed since feeling the Breardon, Rickey axe. Success, not sentiment, is the Cardinal principle of the game after all.

John Murchison Made Hole-in-One Country Club Course Tuesday

J. S. Murchison, local auto dealer and former mayor, entered the ace club here Tuesday afternoon on the Corsicana Country Club course when his masnie shot on No. 4, a 145-yard hole, sank for a dodo after hitting in front of the pin.

Mr. Murchison has been playing for a number of years, but this is the first time he has shot a hole-in-one.

He was playing with J. H. Hook, Phillip Grinnett and L. U. Cole at the time of his shot.

**Malone Trowned Dawson 13 to 11**  
MALONE, July 16.—(Sp.)—The Malone baseball club Tuesday defeated the Dawson nine, 13-11, in a loosely played contest.

Dawson.....11 11 5  
Malone.....13 13 5

Berry, Frost, Tyree and Hel-lums, Hoffman, Littlejohn and Hancock.

Stationery Pound paper, Tablets, envelopes, Fox Border Kodak Developing—City Book Store.

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It's much cooler for our delivery truck to come to your house than it is for you to shop. Let the phone order all your food needs from—

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## Corsicana's Telegraph Florist

Let us tell you how easy it is to send "Flowers by Wire"



## PRESENT METHOD OF TIMING RUNNERS IS HELD BE INACCURATE

TENTH OF SECOND TIMING BY HAND STOP WATCHES BEING PLANNED

NEW YORK, July 16.—(P)—Inaccuracies of the hand that holds the stop watch, strikingly demonstrated by laboratory research in the International Y. M. C. A. college at Springfield, Mass., have revived the controversy over tenth-second timing and raised new questions that concern the record sprinting performances of such track stars as Eddie Tolan and Frank Wykoff.

"Records made with stop-watch timing are not reliable," concludes the report of a two-year study, outlined for the Associated Press by Prof. Thomas K. Cureton, Jr. "A great injustice may be done in approving a record listed as one-tenth second better than another."

Wykoff, whose 100 yard record of 9.4 seconds will undoubtedly be accepted, may not have actually bettered Tolan's mark of 9.5 seconds. And so with various other world and intercollegiate records.

"An electrical timing device, that is foolproof in every respect, is surely needed, not only for track but for swimming and perhaps auto and horse racing. Another practical application of electrical timing is that it can be used excellently for judging places."

Prof. Cureton, with associates and students at Springfield in the department of applied physics and animal mechanics, has conducted exhaustive tests of human handling of the stop-watch in comparison with electrical timing, accurate to one-hundredth of a second.

These tests revealed the human hand is invariably clocking a race one-tenth to one-fifth second faster than it was actually run. Considering one set of data, 27 student timers recorded an average error of .24 seconds in clocking an indoor spring race. The same experiment outdoors, in which 24 timers were used, showed an even greater average error of .285 seconds.

Application of the same test to experienced times, working in a varsity meet between Springfield and New York University, on a rainy day, showed an error of .43 seconds in timing the 120-yard high hurdles race, and .5 seconds in clocking the 100-yard dash.

Analysis of the experiments has shown, Prof. Cureton says, that the timers invariably re-acted slowly to the starting gun's flash or smoke, also that they stopped their watches a fraction of a second before the runner hit the tape.

**New Relay Swim Mark Is Reported**  
HONOLULU, July 16.—(P)—A new mark for the 880 yard relay swim, announced as a new world, Olympic and American record, was established in the National A. C. championships here last night by the Hollywood Athletic club.

The film city aggregation covered the stretch in 8 minutes 21.4 seconds as against the previous world and American record of 9:27 established by a New York A. C. team and the Olympic mark of 9:36 1-5 for the 880 meter event, made by the United States team at Amsterdam in 1928.

Earlier in the evening Clarence L. (Buster) Crabbe of the Los Angeles A. C. broke his own American record for the 300 meter medley, finishing in 4:05 4-5 against his previous mark of 4:08 4-6.

**Frances Harlee Reaches Finals**  
Miss Frances Harlee defeated Miss Louise Harper 6-0, 6-3, in the third annual Y. M. C. A. tennis elimination at city park courts Wednesday afternoon. In the other bracket, Miss Harper is scheduled to play Miss Rose Hardwick, and the winner of that match will play Miss Harlee in the finals Thursday.

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## Don't Press But Hit Hard



By AL DEMAREE  
(Former Pitcher N. Y. Giants)

"Most golfers confuse the terms 'pressing' and hitting a golf ball hard," says Jack Redmond, the well-known pro. "You don't see the pros and high class amateurs holding back on their wood shots. They give it all they've got but their timing is correct and they do not get their hands or body in ahead of their clubhead on the shot. 'Wait for the clubhead,' a good slogan for any golfer. If you do this you can slug to your heart's content and the ball will go far and true."

The fear of "pressing" may cause too lazy a swing. You've got to bring that clubhead through with all you've got to get distance and a good shot.

**AUSTIN TO MEET WOOD.**  
PARIS, July 16.—(P)—Bunny Austin of England will play Stanley Wood of America tomorrow afternoon in the first singles match in the inter-zone finals for the Davis Cup. Frank Shields will meet the Britisher, Perry, in the following match. Lott and Van Ryn of the United States will play Hughes and Perry in the doubles matches on Saturday. Wood plays Perry in singles on Sunday followed by a match between Austin and Shields.

## SEVENTY-SIX GRAND FOR TWENTY GRAND IF COMES THROUGH

GREAT THREE-YEAR-OLD EXPECTED TO CAPTURE RICH ARLINGTON CLASSIC

By CHARLES DUNKLEY.  
CHICAGO, July 16.—(P)—Seventy-six grand for Twenty Grand—if he can do it.

That is the sum the gallant son of St. Germans-Bonus, called the greatest three-year-old since Man O'War, will earn provided he gallops to victory, as almost everybody expects he will do, in the \$700,000 Arlington classic at Arlington Park Saturday afternoon.

The race, as it shapes up today, will have seven certain starters with a gross value of \$87,400, making it the richest three-year-old stake in the world. Twenty Grand, if triumphant, will drag down \$75,900, to add to his 1931 winnings of \$134,194. The big three-year-old already is America's leading money earner of the season.

Twenty Grand rules an overwhelming favorite to win as a result of his impressive workout yesterday, when, in the blistering heat of mid-afternoon, he galloped a mile and a quarter on a slow track, finishing pulled up, in 2:11. It was not fast work, but the superb condition of Twenty Grand was evident. There was not a trace of lameness in his legs and big body that developed in his victory in the Dwyer stakes when he wrenched a big muscle in his left hip.

Jimmy Rowe, youthful trainer of the famous thoroughbred, was jubilant.

"He is ready," Rowe said. "He is as good as never was in his life. Twenty Grand has convinced me he is about the best horse I have ever seen. He'll win the classic handily."

Gallop gracefully over the course he will travel, Twenty Grand went through his final test impressively. It was not a test for speed, for Marshal Lilly, the negro exercise boy for the Green-tree stable, had been cautioned to keep the colt in restraint and just allow him to run at a pood even pace. The three-year-old cham-

## Humble Team Won Over Mexia Texas Company on Sunday

Two runs in the eighth inning as the result of a walk, two singles, and an error, enabled Humble to win Sunday's game from the Texas company of Mexia 5-3. Mexia started scoring in the second, two runs crossing the plate as the result of two singles and an error; and scored another in the third on an error and a double by Scruggs, the only extra-base hit of the game.

The Oilers scored once in the third on two singles and a walk, and counted twice in the fifth on three singles. They pushed across two tallies in the 8th to break the 3-3 deadlock and win the game.

Stanell pitched a good brand of ball, holding the opposition to seven hits, and retiring 10 by the strike out route. Stover was the hitting star of the game with four singles for a perfect day at bat. He drove in three of the Oilers' runs.

**The Box Score.**

	Mexia	AB	R	H	P	OA	E
Chadwell, 1b.	4	0	5	0	1	1	
Les, 3b.	4	0	0	1	1		
Morton, ss.	4	0	1	3	1		
Frost, 2b.	4	1	3	7	0		
Scruggs, if.	4	1	2	1	0		
Burnett, cf.	4	0	1	1	0		
Frost, c.	1	1	1	4	0		
Hare, rf.	4	1	0	0	0		
Gee, 1b.	3	0	0	8	0		
Richardson, p.	3	0	1	0	4		
Totals	35	3	7	24	17	3	

**Humble.**

	AB	R	H	P	OA	E
Barnes, 2b.	4	2	2	3	6	0
Watson, 1b.	4	1	0	10	0	0
Stover, c.	4	0	4	10	1	1
Muncy, rf.	4	1	2	0		
Johns, 3b.	4	0	0	1	1	1
Lahue, cf.	3	0	1	0	0	0
Davis, if.	4	0	0	0	0	0
Vanwinkle, if.	4	0	1	0	0	0
Richardson, p.	3	1	1	0	2	1
Stanell, p.	3	0	0	2	0	0
Totals	31	5	9	27	12	3

Mexia.....021 000 000—3  
Humble.....001 020 025—5  
Earned runs—Humble 4; two-base hits—Scruggs; double plays—Frost to Chadwell; Garland to Barnes to Watson; struck out—By Stanell 10; Richardson 3; base on balls—Off Richardson 3; passed ball—Stover; stolen base—Vanwinkle; time of game—1 hour, 40 minutes; umpire—Smith.

plan raced the half in :48, three-quarters in 1:33 2-5, the mile in 1:40 1-5, the mile and one-eighth in 1:54 3-5, and the full mile and a quarter in 2:11.

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## SPORT NOTES

By PAUL MOORE Daily Sun Sports Editor

Newton Burnett, Corsicana golfer, went to the finals in the invitation golf tournament at Ennis this week, but lost in the championship match to John Shive of Waxahachie. 4 Burns eliminated Dohoney of Italy in the semi-finals. Tom Pinkston, also of Corsicana, won the second flight championship Wednesday by defeating Loyd Henry of Ennis. These were the only two Corsicans who entered the tournament. Both had formerly won the Navarro county title and club titles here. Burnett won the local tournaments for two or three years prior to 1930 when Pinkston was the champion. Both lost out this year when Charlie Holloway won the city-county and club championships.

J. S. Murchison, formerly city commissioner and later mayor of Corsicana, joined the dodo club Tuesday afternoon when he aced No. 4, a 145-yard hole while playing with J. H. Hook, his partner in golfing circles, also captain of the Country club team, and Phil Grinnett and L. U. Cole. The former mayor declared when he teed up his ball that he would shoot for a hole in one in just, after one of his opponent's shots was close to the pin. The ball hit the green several feet in front of the pin and tricked into the hole. This was Murchison's first ace in his golf career extending back for several years.

The writer has no official announcement from the former mayor or any of his friends, but it is likely that Mr. Murchison will frame the score card of Tuesday's play.

Home run hitters Wednesday included Simmons, Philadelphia Athletics; Haas, Philadelphia Athletics; Storti, St. Louis Browns; D. Taylor, Chicago Cubs; Holley, Beaumont; Gehring, Detroit.

Duck hunters may expect a lean year from game reports due to the dry weather in Canada, the breed-

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## DEFENSE TESTIMONY BEING HEARD CASE AGAINST DOUGLAS

### WITNESSES TELL THREATS MADE AGAINST DEFEND- ANT BY SLAIN MAN

Introduction of defense testimony was in progress when court recessed at noon Wednesday and the indications were that a considerable portion of the afternoon would be used by the defense in the trial of Charlie Douglas, 40, Henderson county, for the fatal shooting of Texana Hall, 44, his sister-in-law, April 12, 1930. The state resumed at 9:40 o'clock, after Mrs. Inez January and Ferrell Douglas, daughter and son of the defendant, had been recalled. That threats had been made against the defendant by Davis January, a son-in-law, husband of Mrs. Inez January, one of the people killed at the same time, were brought out by the testimony of witnesses Wednesday morning.

The two cases were transferred to Navarro county from Henderson county, June 25, upon motion of the state.

When Mrs. Inez January was recalled Wednesday morning, she testified under cross-examination by defense attorneys that she had been threatened by her father in 1929 by her husband. She said she had previously been at the mail box talking to Davis January for about 10 minutes. She said that she knew her father objected to her talking to January. She said she had a bad feeling against her father at the present time, but had not had any feeling against him previous to the shootings, and that she tried to respect him.

**Saw Husband Leave Car.**

Mrs. January admitted that she saw her husband leave his car on the night of the shooting, but she denied he left with a pistol. She also denied any conversation with her mother relative to a statement that Davis January had said he would not shoot her father the next time he came to see her.

Under re-direct examination by County Attorney Cleo G. Miller, Mrs. January said she was under the care of a physician at the present time.

**Ferrell Douglas, 15-year-old son of the defendant, a state witness, was recalled. The youth testified that he had overheard a conversation between his father and another relative to Texana Hall, and that his father said that Texana Hall must have been telling lies on him. He testified that his father cursed and threatened Texana Hall, but it was later developed that the boy was not in the room during the conversation and that Judge Hood ordered the testimony stricken out and not be considered for any purpose.**

**Admitted He Saw Pistol.**

Ferrell Douglas was questioned at length by the defense relative to certain portions of his previous testimony. The youth admitted that he saw a pistol after Davis January's brother had moved. He said Sheriff Baker was present when he saw the pistol, about six feet from where the body had fallen.

**Denied Being Present** when the map was made by the county engineer, or that he had pointed out any of the objects noted on the sketch.

**Said the last time he saw his Aunt Texana, she was turning to go toward the house, and that he was looking at January's body, when the second shot was fired.**

The change of venue orders were introduced in evidence for jurisdictional purposes only.

**It was reported that Oscar Harris, Henderson county, for whom an attachment was issued, had not been located in Austin early Wednesday morning, where he is undergoing the Pasteur treatment for rabies.**

**Doctor Testifies.**

Dr. R. E. Henderson testified he treated Charlie Douglas for a wound in the right shoulder in the summer of 1929. He said it was a shot that could not have been inflicted by the defendant. He said there were no burn marks, and that it was not a serious wound. The physician testified that Douglas told him that the shot was made by a man who shot him in the back, and that he did not want any trouble about it.

**Joel Baker, sheriff of Henderson county, said that he went to the scene of the shooting, and that he saw the body of January lying near where the youth said the body of January was located. The sheriff testified to stepping on the body of January, and also with reference to the house and surroundings. He testified the pistol had five cartridges in it and one chamber empty.**

**The sheriff also said two shotgun shells were found the following morning. He said there were no uneven places, vines, etc., in the vicinity which would cause a person to trip or stumble.**

**Boy's Testimony Refuted.**

Robert Featherstone testified to talking with Ferrell Douglas the following night, and that Douglas had told him that when Davis January was shot, his hat went one way and his pistol the other. He recounted two other conversations at a later time in which he said Ferrell Douglas asked him not to tell about what he had been told about a pistol, etc. He said Ferrell told him Robert January, did not want that portion told.

**Under cross-examination, the witness testified that he was a good friend of Charlie Douglas. He admitted he had visited the defendant in jail several times.**

**When questioned by defense attorneys, the youth said he was looking at the Douglas' tomato garden, and also that he had not talked to Douglas except when an officer was present.**

**Another Boy Testifies.**

Ceter Knapp, 15, testified he had known Ferrell Douglas for five years. He corroborated the previous testimony of conversations by Ferrell Douglas. Under questioning by state attorneys, the boy said that it was brought out that a noise was heard at a window and later the keys from the Davis January car were found that Davis January raised the seat of his car, procured a pistol and started out to the field. He related that Ferrell Douglas told him that he dragged January's body from the fence. He said Ferrell Dou-

## Returns Corsicana



**J. C. YOUNG**

The formal announcement of J. C. Young, a representative of the Minnesota Mutual Life Insurance Company, of St. Paul, is made today.

Mr. Young, who is well known here having been connected with the Texas Power and Light company in 1928-29, will make his headquarters in Corsicana where he has many friends. He comes back to Corsicana from the Springs, Okla., where he was connected with the Oklahoma Power and Water company.

The life insurance company represented by Mr. Young is one of the strongest doing business in the United States.

las said he thought his aunt was shot by Charlie Douglas. Ernest Hood testified that he talked with Davis January about the shooting, and that he was previous to the trouble and that Davis January told him (Ernest Hood) that he (January) would kill Douglas if it was the last thing he did.

**Had Trouble With January.**

On cross-examination by Cleo Miller, Hood admitted having had previous trouble with January, and that he had threatened to kill January. He admitted that after having trouble with January, he and Charles Douglas went to Eustace, the community where Davis January lived.

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**Neighbor Testifies.**

Albert Hood, a neighbor, said he lived about 300 yards from the Hall home. He testified that he heard the two shots between 8 and 9 o'clock on April 12. He said that Inez January came to his house. Hood said he later went to the Hall home. He said he had talked to Douglas concerning the throwing of a rock into Texana Hall's window.

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**Ben Wathen, Athens, Henderson county surveyor for the last four years, testified concerning a map or sketch of the Hall home and its surroundings and was aided in the drawing of certain points by Roy Campbell, Inez January and others. The map was introduced in evidence. Under cross-examination, Wathen testified that Joe had killed his father, but admitted that he was mad at him for this trouble. He admitted that January raised up the car seat, but said he did not see him get anything out of the car.**

**The youth testified that he did not know whether Douglas was out in the field that night or not. He said he was "mad" at his father for killing his brother-in-law and aunt, and remarked that he left the house on the night of the shootings until Davis January and wife prepared to go home.**

## FUNERAL SERVICES FOR WOMAN FOUND DEAD EARLY SUNDAY

Funeral services for Mae Pearl Vallie, aged 40 years, whose lifeless body was discovered at her home, 507 East Seventh avenue, Sunday morning, were held from the chapel of the Corley-McMahon Funeral Home Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock with interment in the Catholic cemetery. The services were conducted by the Rev. J. V. Gratton of the Church of the Immaculate Conception.

A coroner's verdict was returned by Judge P. L. Cox as "death from natural causes after an inquiry was held into the case. No one was held liable for the death."

Surviving are her mother, Mrs. Georgiana Vallie, Corsicana, and other relatives.

husband and her brother, Douglas Ferrell, went to the car. She said Davis January remarked that the keys of the car were gone, and a light was brought from the house.

The witness testified that a note was found in the field near by and that her husband asked if there were any cows in the field, and someone said "no."

Mrs. January testified that her husband was heard and that she heard a shot. The witness said she went to her husband, a distance of about 19 or 20 feet away, and found his body. She said the dead man did not say anything, the witness said.

**Woman Is Shot.**

Continuing, the young girl said that her mother and Aunt Texana later came out near where her husband's body lay. She said her aunt started after some water, and when she (Texana Hall) was on 10 feet away from her (January), a second shot was fired.

"I saw Charlie Douglas with a shotgun as the shot was fired," Mrs. January said. The witness said she went to the home of one Mrs. Hood to get some one to stay with them at the Hall home, and that when she returned, found the body of her husband and aunt on the front porch and Inez January dead. She said she did not examine the bodies.

Mrs. January said that Texana Hall gave the lamp to Curtis Green, and that she and Ferrell Douglas moved the body of her husband.

**Girl Cross-Examined.**

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## IS COMMUNISM CHRISTIAN? EXPERIENCE OF EARLY CHURCH

Living Question Is Sunday School Lesson—Clear Light From Bible On Day's Major Issue—Christianity Can Solve Present Crisis.

BY WILLIAM T. ELLIS.

Communism has thrust itself into the life of every large nation on earth, as the day's most aggressive and troublesome social and political question. With Russia as its major protagonist, it has become a world-wide menace. Japan, permeated India and become the paramount political problem in many European countries. In the United States and Canada, it is asserted, an inviolable, but not yet dangerous, New, no thinking persons anywhere on earth can ignore it. And the world needs desperately to have light upon it.

Now, opportunity, here comes an interesting Sunday school lesson, designated several years ago, covering the experience of the Apostolic Christian church with pure communism; when the first disciples had their possessions, and tried living on a simple brotherhood. In this record all persons who accept the Bible as their final authority will find the issue as it was then, and it has been brought down to date.

**Not of the Russian Brand.**

At the outset, we receive vast differences between the Apostolic experience in social fields and the Russian communism—which is true communism—or Bolshevism. In Jerusalem, there were no class distinctions. Rich and poor contributed to the common fund of the Christian brotherhood. Their motive was a profound and unselfish loyalty to Christ, and to their common Christian fellowship. Their new faith was greater than their pride of possessions. So leveled had their hearts been by the Gospel that they regarded one another as brethren, in mystic union with the risen Christ.

What is called "communism" in Russia is better described by the Russians' own title of "The dictatorship of the proletariat." It is a bitter, cruel and relentless class warfare, the result of which is not a common love for all, but a more fear, suspicion and terror that dominates the Russian people today—but the tie that binds the Russian people together is a governing oligarchy and an ever-strengthened sense of antagonism to all persons born to privilege, or who have acquired it.

But the Russian communism was the first ardent product of a deep and flaming love; Russian communism is fed by hatred and by fear.

In old Jerusalem, the disciples of Henderson county had already visited the scene.

After a short recess, Ferrell Douglas, 15-year-old son of the defendant, was called by the state. He testified that when Davis January left his house on the night of his death, that he (Ferrell) and Inez accompanied him to get some bundles out of the car to carry into the house. He said that he and his sister carried a single-barrel shotgun, a 12-gauge shotgun and a .22-caliber pistol. He said that he and Inez accompanied him to get some bundles out of the car to carry into the house. He said that he and his sister carried a single-barrel shotgun, a 12-gauge shotgun and a .22-caliber pistol. He said that he and Inez accompanied him to get some bundles out of the car to carry into the house.

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of Jesus were animated wholly by love for Him. Through Him they had gained a new understanding of God. Their motive was, first and last, one of religious faith.

On the contrary, in Russia, socialism is so completely the opposite of religious faith that the government has sought to stamp out Christianity, and all other creeds. They know that either the Gospel or socialism must disappear, and the two are so incompatible that they cannot coexist under the same flag.

**Failure in Jerusalem.**

Most significant is the fact that after the first glowing expression of Christian ardor by an attempt to pursue communism, we find the Jerusalem church in need of relief from the newer missionary churches. The experiment in socialism had failed. It was one of the Church's first mistakes—and it is rather surprising to know that even the earliest Christians could commit blunders, as well as ourselves.

Individualistic is the genius of Christianity—individual redemption for men, one by one; personal, first-hand relationship with God; the development in every disciple of a new sense of the sacredness of personality—that it could not maintain this dead level of communism. Indeed, there never has been anywhere an experiment in socialism that has continued to be successful. The famous American Colony of Jerusalem, started as a brotherhood, with all things in common, has now gone on the rocks, with division and scandal and strife. The remnant that remains of the original formula.

This experience of the Apostolic Church sheds a flood of light upon the gravest issue of the day, individualism versus socialism. What may be called the Russian school of thought contends that the individual should sink his identity into the State, which in turn, becomes responsible for him and directs his every action. Opposite to this is the American and British conception of life, which offers fullest freedom to the individual for self-development and self-realization. The Russian school, in the modern mood which would make the State responsible for everybody's well-being, from prenatal care of the infant, on through the employment, insurance to old age pensions. The glory of Christian civilization, is that it has created a type of self-reliance men and women, able to care for themselves in the face of adversity.

**A Master Motive.**

Carefully to read the Lesson text causes the uniqueness of the Early Church's experience to stand out clearly. They were not adopted to a special social scheme, foisted on them by propaganda or authority. Instead, the new life welling within them was breaking new paths and trying new ways.

The force of their faith was simply overwhelming, given their master motive, any theory of life could be made to work for a time. For it is not communism or capitalism that the world needs, but a special social scheme, foisted on them by propaganda or authority. Instead, the new life welling within them was breaking new paths and trying new ways.

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## GREAT GAS PIPE LINE REACHES EAST SHORE MISSISSIPPI

NEW YORK, July 10.—(P)—A \$40,000,000 pipe line by which natural gas is eventually to be brought from the Texas Panhandle, 1,000 miles north and east to Indianapolis, had been completed today as far as the eastern shore of the Mississippi river at Louisiana, Mo. New York engineers in charge of the construction announced.

The line crosses the Mississippi on the Champ Clark memorial bridge and is the first pipe line ever brought across the river above the water line. Anchored at the center it crosses on rollers attached to the side of the bridge which is 2,279 feet long and allowance had to be made for 12-inch expansion due to hold and heat at the west end of the bridge, and 12-1/2 inch expansion at the east end.

Gas in the pipe extending across the Mississippi was turned on today.

all wrongs. If we are to learn any truth at all from this early Christian record is that first things are first. Christian disciples will go to Christian service and remedy unchristian conditions; but first of all there must be the mastery of life by the Christian.

**A Socialized Church in Poverty.**

Third of the assigned Scripture portions of the Lesson shows Paul urging the Christians of Greece and Macedonia to give liberally for the help of the impoverished Christians in Jerusalem, where the social experiment had not brought in ideal economic conditions. Better than that, however, they were members of a brotherhood of slaves.

Jesus makes all of His friends helpers one of another. The far-flung Church of the first century bore the burdens of their needy brethren in Jerusalem. Christianity can solve the present economic crisis if Christians of high and low degree, will make dominant this brotherly conception of life. For some wealthy Christians to become slave masters, the courage to divest themselves of a substantial portion of their possessions. The poor are always prone to help sacrificially. Assistance must be applied first to establish justice and equity in order to recognize the great truth that "One is your master, even Christ, and all ye are brethren." Individual initiative and devotion to this task will transform our whole social order.

For Christian brotherhood is not a system, but a spirit. As Christians, we know themselves to be blood-brothers in the blood of Jesus. The blood of Jesus in Jerusalem, so we Christians of this Western world are being called upon to recognize the Christian of Germany, of Russia, of China and of the whole world.

**SEVEN SENTENCE SERMONS.**

I do not see any method of improving our social and economic relations except through the teachings of religion; in fact, it is my belief that we have gone as far as we can in progress, and reform until we have a more general acceptance of the truths of religion.

—Calvin Coolidge.

There is one thing better than the pursuit of money—the habit of having one's own way—those I take to be the two great errors of life in our day—and that is a human home.—Elizabeth Stuart Phelps.

Back of the loaf is the snowy floor.  
Back of the flour the mill;  
Back of the mill is the wheat and the shower  
And the sun and the Father's will.  
—Maltbie D. Babcock.

A business that makes nothing but money is a poor kind of business.—Henry Ford.

It is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle, than for a rich man to enter into the kingdom of God.—Matthew 10:24.

The angels, from their thrones on high,  
Look down on us with wondering eye,  
That where we are but passing guests,  
We build such strong and solid nests;  
But where we hope to stay for ever,  
We scarce take pains one stone to lay—Old English Description on Bishop's Palace.

Riches are the baggage of virtue; they cannot be spared or left behind, but they hinder the march.—Francis Bacon.

**The International Sunday School Lesson for July 19 is—"Social Service in Early Church"—Acts 4:32-35; 6:1-4; II Cor. 9:1-7.**

**GASOLINE PRICE CUT.**

MEXIA, July 14.—(Sp.)—The Humble Oil and Refining Company Saturday cut the price of gasoline here one cent. Other stations followed immediately.

## Several Games of Tri-County Loop Reported Played

Team— W. L. Pct.  
Irene ..... 2 0 1.000  
Frost ..... 1 0 1.000  
Dawson ..... 1 0 1.000  
Purdum ..... 1 0 1.000  
Penelope ..... 0 1 1.000  
Mildred ..... 0 1 1.000  
Silver City ..... 0 1 1.000  
Bloomington ..... 0 1 1.000  
No games reported.

The above standing was that of games reported to this newspaper including Thursday, July 16. No reports of games had been received from the Bloomington Grove team. All team managers of the Tri-County league are urged to send in their reports promptly and also see that all games are reported.

**DAWSON, July 16.—(Sp.)**—Dawson won the opening game of the Tri-County league over Purdon last Saturday 3 to 1. Dawson took the lead in the first inning and was never in danger due to the excellent pitching of January and Berry.

**PURDON, July 16.—(Sp.)**—Purdum won over the Silver City club in the Tri-County league Tuesday afternoon 9-0, when the visiting club left the field after two men had been retired in the last half of the ninth, it was reported. At the time of the forfeiting of the game, Purdon was leading 6-0.

**Box Score:**

Team	W	L	Pct
Kennemore, c	4	0	1.000
Mellon, 1b	4	0	1.000
Burns, p	4	0	1.000
Peden, 3b	3	0	1.000
A. Griggin, rf	4	0	1.000
Hale, ss	4	0	1.000
McKinnab, 2b	4	0	1.000
Hodge, c	3	0	1.000
Norton, lf	2	0	1.000
R. Griffin, if	1	0	1.000

**Total** ..... 33 0 4 27 12 4

**Purdum</**



# FIRST RESOLUTION IN HOUSE DEFEATED BY THREE VOTES

## SWEEPING PROBE SOUGHT TO UNEARTH MONOPOLISTIC CONTROL IF ANY

AUSTIN, July 15.—(P)—The house today by a margin of three votes voted to postpone indefinitely consideration of a resolution offered by Representative Lee Satterwhite of Odessa calling for a sweeping investigation of the oil industry to determine whether monopolistic control and special interests were acting to depress the oil market.

The vote on the resolution was 64 ayes and 61 noes. The resolution was definitely killed a few moments later when the vote was reconsidered and the resolution tabled.

The vote was regarded as the first test between administration and anti-administration forces. Opponents of the resolution argued it would be a waste of time for the house oil, gas and mining committee and the senate state affairs committee to hold joint sessions for eight days to investigate the oil industry to determine the truth of the allegations that the market had been purposely depressed by "overproduction and unfair tactics practiced in the manipulation of markets as well as in production and promotion."

Needs Diagnosing Satterwhite and others contended the investigation would disclose enlightening information of which the legislature would be able to take constructive action. They likened the oil industry to a man who goes to the hospital for treatment, claiming the first thing the doctors would do would be to diagnose his ailment instead of starting at once to administer treatment.

There was pending a resolution by Rep. Harry N. Graves of Georgetown proposing that both branches of the legislature resolve themselves into a committee of the whole to consider all oil conservation bills.

The legislature received the governor's message which was brief. The message would have been sent up and read yesterday but the senate spent the entire day in organizing. Senator Tom DeBerry of Bogota, characterized as a champion of the common people, was named president of the session.

The governor's position of oil conservation was brought into the first day's discussion in the house. Representative C. J. Sherrill of Bellevue terminated the discussion of the answer of the administration to the Satterwhite resolution, claiming Satterwhite's resolution "threw a bombshell that scared the administration."

Bellevue Administration Aided Several supporters of the Satterwhite resolution said they believed the administration was "a little lousy" in its handling of the oil, gas and mining committee, which is presided over by Representative Bailey Hardy of Breckenridge, an opponent of a new appointive conservation commission. Satterwhite's resolution called for a wholesale investigation of the oil business to determine whether the industry was controlled by special interests and to inquire into reported monopolistic price fixing.

Representative T. H. McGregor of Austin raised a point of order against the Graves resolution, claiming the house could not form a committee of the whole. Speaker Fred H. Minor of Denton said he was inclined to agree with McGregor. No oil bill was introduced on the opening day but several had been prepared by outsiders. These proposals had conflicting provisions.

Puzzling Question Speaker Fred Minor and house officials continued to ponder the puzzling question of to which committee the oil conservation bills should be sent. House members claimed the administration was trying to steer shy of the regularly appointed oil, gas and mining committee. Read Granberry, House parliamentary clerk, said no decision had been reached on the question but that the rules could be construed so the bills could go either to the oil committee or the conservation and reclamation committee.

The oil committee was formed to deal specifically with oil and gas matters while the conservation and reclamation committee deals with all the phases of that subject, Granberry said.

Sent to Oil Committee The first bill on oil introduced in the house, however, was sent to the oil committee. It was introduced by Representative Richardson of Grand Saline and set waste as "production in excess of market demand and taking oil from sands when there was no market demand at the well at the price equal to the actual value of the oil. It did not provide for establishment of a separate conservation commission to administer the conservation laws."

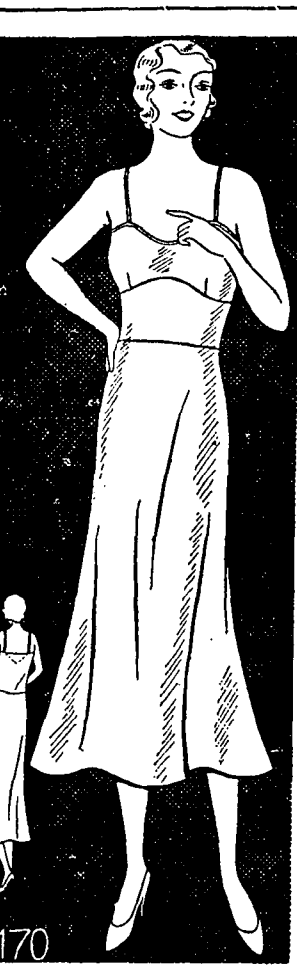
Richardson's bill also set up a rule whereby the actual value of the oil was defined. It provided for penalties of from \$1,000 to \$5,000 for wasteful production, with each day's violation a separate offense.

In arguing for the Satterwhite resolution, Representative T. H. McGregor of Austin said the oil industry was not the only one to be considered by the legislature, declaring that where 500,000 persons were interested because they were paying for the products, "Let us turn on the lights and see what is wrong with the oil industry," McGregor stated.

The house adjourned until 10 a. m. tomorrow.

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## WACO SELECTED BY DOCTORS CENTRAL TEXAS DISTRICT

Waco was selected as the next meeting place of the Central Texas (Twelfth District) Medical Society meeting at the Junior High school here Tuesday. The next meeting will be in January, 1932, and officers for the ensuing year will be elected.

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## Wortham Social Items of Interest

WORTHAM, July 16.—(Sp.)—Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Adams and daughter, Miss Mary Katherine, of Waco visited Mrs. Adams' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Stubbs, Saturday and Sunday enroute for a vacation trip to South Carolina and Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Iversen of Corsicana visited Mr. and Mrs. John Munroe Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Meador and daughter, Lillie Roark; Messrs. K. W. Sneed and John Munroe were in Dallas Saturday. Lillie Roark played at her usual radio time over Station WRR.

This station made arrangements for presenting Lillie Roark in a special program honoring her as one of the twenty pupils playing in Chicago July 22, on the nationwide Dunning Pupils recital at the National Dunning Teachers' company.

Mrs. Van Hook Stubbs is spending the week in Teague, guest of her mother, Mrs. Tucker.

Dr. and Mrs. F. W. Horn and little daughter Winnifred returned Sunday from a visit to Fort Worth.

Maurice Sims left Monday for Overton, where he has a position with the Central Texas Grocery company.

John Miller who is with the Southern Pacific at Bremond, spent Sunday in Worth at home with his family.

W. E. Bryant, H. C. Meador and Bob Willford were in Groesbeck Sunday.

Mrs. Finis Peyton and children of Teague were in Wortham Tuesday, visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Leavelle.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Strange, accompanied by Miss Toy Lee Tadlock of Fort Worth, spent Sunday in Corsicana, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Rinehart.

Teague Youth Is Making Excellent Strides As Pianist

# FALL WILL SERVE SENTENCE IN HOME STATE PENITENTIARY

## FORMER CABINET MEMBER AWAITS COMMITMENT TO SANTA FE INSTITUTION

WASHINGTON, July 15.—(P)—In the warm climate on his home state, Albert Bacon Fall, secretary of the interior in the Harding administration, will serve his sentence of a year and a day in the penitentiary at Santa Fe, New Mexico, where he was charged yesterday by Attorney General Mitchell as more suitable for the former cabinet member, now 70 years old and ill.

Justice Bailey of the District of Columbia supreme court added a day to Fall's jail sentence of a year. This was done to enable the attorney general to choose a prison other than the District of Columbia jail, held by the former official's attorneys to be dangerous to his health.

As soon as a warrant for his commitment, sent to the United States marshal or the New Mexico prison, Fall is expected to enter the penitentiary.

Collected in October, 1929, of the United States marshal, Fall was charged with accepting a bribe from his old friend, Edward Doheny, oil man, in connection with the leasing of the Elk Hills, California, naval petroleum reserves. Fall was fined \$50,000 and sentenced for one year. Before entering the Harding cabinet, he was senator from New Mexico, although maintaining a residence in El Paso, Texas, besides his home at Three Rivers, New Mexico.

Grimsly Awaits Trial. EL PASO, July 15.—(P)—Albert E. Fall, aged and broken in health, today awaited quietly, at almost the end of his life, a trial, grimly, the trip to Santa Fe, New Mexico, where he will serve a sentence on a charge of accepting a bribe while in office.

Yesterday Fall told newspapermen he had no defense, and would leave for Santa Fe, but he was in no sense dismayed by the prospect of imprisonment there. He remarked it was a relief to have the matter settled, saying the "rain of it all had been heavy."

SANTA FE, N. M., July 15.—(P)—The New Mexico penitentiary is awaiting the arrival of Albert Bacon Fall, ex-secretary of the interior department, since he was indicted for accepting a bribe in the territorial days of 1884.

He is Albert Bacon Fall, whose political days prior to his term as secretary of the interior department were occupied with active consideration of the problems of this institution, which will now exact from him a year and a day penalty for bribery or four months with time off for good behavior.

A grey stone administration unit is flanked by two long grey stone cell houses, to each side of which and to the rear, range thirty-foot buildings, walls forming a huge rectangle.

This prison, located on the outskirts of Santa Fe at the foot of the Sangre de Cristo mountain range and built to accommodate 350 prisoners, now holds more than 500 men and women.

Fall, because of his ill health, probably will be confined to a ward in the new hospital, completed last year, but a year ago convicted of bribery. He is well liked, well ventilated two story brick building equipped with modern surgical and dental facilities and has an especially constructed unit for tubercular prisoners.

MUSSOLINI JOINS IN DENOUNCING OF POPE'S ENCYCLICAL ROME, July 15.—(P)—Premier Mussolini and the fascist directorate today denounced the Pope's recent encyclical on young fascism as a collection of "lies."

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# WICKERSHAM COMMISSION DENOUNCES LAWS COVERING CASE MOONEY AND BILLINGS

## WASHINGTON, July 15.—(P)—The Wickersham commission today denounced as "shocking to one's sense of justice," the laws under which the famous Mooney-Billings case was conducted.

Embedded deep in a formal report to President Hoover on methods of criminal procedure, the commission cited the case arising from the 1915 preparedness day bombing in San Francisco as one in which motions for a new trial "were held inadequate to prevent injustice."

It made no direct recommendation, however, that the case be reopened.

In the body of its report, signed by 10 of the 11 members, the commission concluded that blame should be laid at the door of "incompetent, weak or politics-ridden judges" for much of the general complaint against this country's criminal procedure.

It presented a plea that the public insist upon the complete divorce of the administration of justice from politics and that the selection of judges and magistrates be made upon the ground of conspicuous fitness alone.

Monte Lemann, New Orleans, lawyer, who declined to sign the commission's prohibition report, likewise refused to sign this document.

He charges the report was made more a subject of research to back up the conclusions reached, adding that "without adequate factual inquiry, generalizations are made."

Seeking a moratorium on debts that will permit them to hold their product for a month or more, farmers have carried the plea to the government, but to the influential men of their own communities.

The grain growers of North-western Oklahoma farmers are seeking only what is necessary to pay off mortgages and other debts contracted prior to the harvest. He estimated 60 per cent of the wheat was being stored.

Wheat farmers of the Southwest have turned to their bankers, implement companies and merchants for relief from debts which are forcing some to market grain at prices ranging as low as 25 cents a bushel, as well as those in other parts of the country.

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# TECHNICAL PHASES OF PROFESSION ARE GIVEN IN PAPERS

## DOCTORS AND WIVES FROM MANY CENTRAL TEXAS COUNTIES HERE TUESDAY

Technical phases of the medical profession were presented in well prepared papers and talks, and widely discussed in round table form at the sessions of the Central Texas (Twelfth District) Medical Society meeting in the Junior high school auditorium Tuesday.

Interest in some of the talks and papers was heightened by illustrations with charts, stereoscopic slides, and operations on rabbits.

The Women's Auxiliary to the Central Texas Medical Society met simultaneously in the Junior high school auditorium.

Representatives from Bell, Bosque, Brazos, Comanche, Coryell, Erath, Falls, Hamilton, Hill, Hood, Johnson, Limestone, Milam, McLennan, Navarro, Robertson, and Somervell counties were present at the meeting.

Following the scientific program presented during the day: Invocation, Rev. W. R. Hall, pastor First Presbyterian church.

1. A Discussion of Spinal Anesthesia, Dr. W. T. Shell, Jr., Corsicana.

2. Agranulocytic Angina, Dr. M. Minter, San Antonio.

3. Recent Development in the Prostate, Dr. J. E. Robinson, Temple.

4. Some Phases of Gall Bladder Disease, Dr. Leslie E. Kelton, Jr., Corsicana.

5. A Discussion of Osteomyelitis, Dr. R. J. Giles, Temple.

6. Tumors of the Ovary, Dr. H. R. Dudgeon, Waco.

7. The Structural Concept of Static Disorders of the Foot, Dr. Herbert E. Hipps, Marlin.

8. Some Interesting Observations in the Surgical Treatment of Gastric Ulcers, Dr. H. F. Connally, Waco.

9. Pellagra, Dr. Gurley R. Sanders, Kerens.

10. Lobar Pneumonia, Dr. M. W. Colgin, Waco.

# Rains in Wide Areas Benefit Texas Crops

## (By The Associated Press) Crops over a major portion of the state were benefitted by rains which fell yesterday and today.

Precipitation was reported in the east portion and in much of the western area, especially in the northern two-thirds.

Hard rain began falling in Dallas this morning and continued steadily. Ennis reported 2.10 inches. The heaviest rain since May falling in Denton, relieving crops in the area and showers were reported at Corsicana. Beaumont and other southeastern points also received rain yesterday.

Rain Heavy Here. The rainfall during the local shower Tuesday afternoon was .80 of an inch, according to the government gauge. It served to cool the atmosphere and make the remainder of the day and night more comfortable.

Clouds continued to drift over all morning Wednesday and at 1:30 in the afternoon the clouds were getting heavier.

# SPECTACULAR OIL PROMOTER JAILED ON FRAUD CHARGE

OKLAHOMA CITY, July 14.—(P)—From a bunk in the county jail, alongside bootleggers and petty thieves, C. C. Julian, melodramatic oil operator awoke today facing federal charges of mail fraud.

Julian, who a year and a half ago added to his list of friends' automobiles, only to promote oil companies which he recently rated as worth \$10,000,000, was arrested late yesterday, and after a short detention at the county jail, his attorney gave up attempts to raise \$50,000 bond asked for his release.

With Julian were arrested his bulky bodyguard, C. C. (Tex) Boren, former taxicab driver, and R. D. Topp, accountant for the C. C. Julian Oil and Royalties company. Their bonds were fixed at \$10,000 each. They, too, remained in jail overnight.

Cargill said Julian probably would remain in jail until tomorrow, when the three are to face preliminary hearing. They pleaded not guilty before United States Commissioner George J. Eacock at arraignment.

The specific charge against Julian is that a false financial statement was made by C. C. Julian Oil and Royalties company last January and sent through the mails to H. A. Penn, Burbank, Calif., and C. C. Applebourn, Oakland, Calif.

The statement, the complaint alleged, said the company had \$418,267.18 in cash, \$261,396.29 in bonds and \$813,056.49 in property, lands, leases and easements.

Pioneer Families Freestone County Joined by Wedding FAIRFIELD, July 15.—(Sp.)—Two of the pioneer families of Freestone county were joined by the wedding of J. W. Withrow of Kilgore and Miss Mary Vernia Huckaby of Fairfield, who were married at the home of G. H. Larimer, judge of the circuit court at Benton, La., Monday morning, July 13.

Mr. Withrow is the son of L. H. Withrow, Teague, county commissioner, and has a responsible position at Kilgore, where the young couple will make their home.

Mr. Withrow is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Huckaby of Fairfield. Mr. Huckaby is a stockman and prominent business man of this city and his daughter has taken an active interest in civic and church affairs of the city and is prominent in the young social set.

Freestone County Grand Jury Faces Important Session FAIRFIELD, July 14.—(Sp.)—With C. K. Haworth as foreman, a grand jury in 87th district court in Freestone county is having a busy session. It is the first grand jury to serve under the newly appointed judge, Lex Smith, who began his term July 1. The following are members of the inquisitorial body:

C. K. Haworth, Streetman; foreman; W. L. Watson, Teague; H. B. Middleton, Teague; Miles Devine, Donie; H. M. Burleson, Streetman; Jack Epps, Donie; Jester Willett, Dew; Tom Nesbitt, Butler; M. A. Riley, Wortham; David Alderman, Teague; E. Coleman, Streetman; Rufus Manning, Simsboro.

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Bills Introduced In Senate Today AUSTIN, July 15.—(P)—The legislature today received its first oil and oil conservation bills. Senator John V. McGregory of Austin, offered a bill which would permit the railroad commission to



## BARBECUE HELD AT EUREKA CELEBRATE HIGHWAY CONTRACT

A giant barbecue dinner was given several months ago in the Eureka vicinity incident to the letting of the contract for the dirt and drainage structures. A heavy rain of Thursday morning, the day for the noon-day feed and festivities was moved to Eureka proper instead of the customary site.

RENO, Nev., July 16.—(P)—The candidacy of George W. Malone for national commander of the American Legion was announced today by the department of Nevada through its state executive committee.

Malone, who is state engineer and a member of the Nevada Public Service Commission and secretary of the Colorado River Commission

since its organization. He was elected national vice-commander in 1929 and now is national executive committeeman from this state.

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## Westward Traveler Wins Race Around World at Tokyo

TOKYO, July 18.—(Kanz.)—Fukuma, traveling in a westward direction, today won a race around the world against Suto-maru Shingu, who followed a eastward route.

Traveling on regular passenger airplanes wherever available, the racers carried out their feat under the auspices of the Asahi Japanese newspaper.

Fukuma completed his trip in 31 days and six hours while Shingu required 35 days seven hours. Both flew across the United States.

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## Crusade Predicts

**Americans to Lose  
Their Citizenship**

TORONTO, Ont., July 16.—(P)—Speaking before the Lions convention today, Col. Alvin Owsley of Dallas, Texas, past commander of the American Legion, declared that the 3,000 American engineers and executives working in Russia under soviet auspices would have their citizenship forfeited if they refuse to return to the United States in thirty days. "The ruin and impoverishment of the free workmen of the United States will result from the industrialization of Russia," Col. Owsley predicted, pointing out that Russian industrialization depends on conscript labor.

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# Beauty Chats

By Edna Kent Forbes

All requests for beauty information desired by Edna Kent Forbes' column followers must be accompanied by a full self-addressed, stamped envelope (a. s. e.) and two cents in stamps to cover cost of printing and handling.

For the illustrated pamphlet, "BEAUTY," ten cents in stamps with fully a. s. e. must be enclosed. Address Miss Forbes in care of this paper.

## PERFUMES AND SUCH

Miss Forbes tells you which perfume you should choose, according to your birth month. The tradition as to these things is not fixed, but at least it provides a guide to the girl who hesitates between the delicate flower and the heavy Oriental perfume.

Again and again I am asked which perfume should be used, with only the vaguest description of the writer to judge by. So I use as answers a very useful little card which a large perfume house brought out lately, giving the signs of zodiac, birthstones, harmonious colors and suggested perfumes, according to birthdays.

For instance, you were born in January. Your sign is Capricorn, your birthstone garnet, which means constancy, and your perfume should be hyacinth, with deep colors and black most becoming to you.

February, sign Aquarius; stone, amethyst, meaning sincerity; perfume, lilac-blossom; best colors, all shades of purple and lavender.

March, Pisces; birthstone, the bloodstone, meaning firmness; perfume, violet; color, again the purple shades.

April, Aries; stone, diamond, meaning innocence; perfume, narcissus; colors, all tones of red.

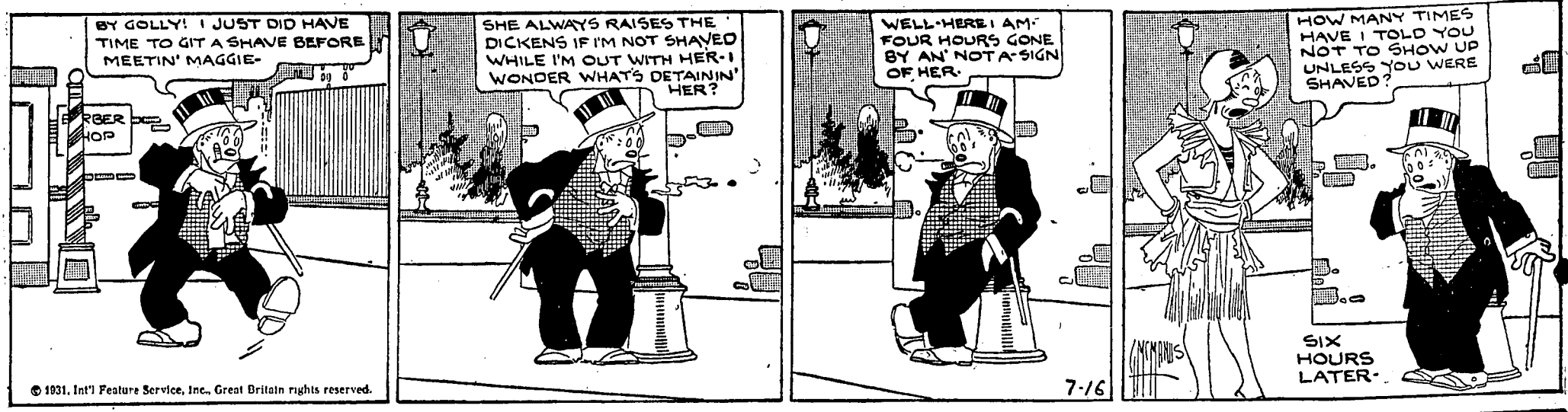
May, Taurus; emerald, which means happiness; perfume, lily-of-the-valley; colors, blue and white.

June, Gemini; stone, the pearl, for health; perfume, honey suckle; colors, silvery white. July changes quite a bit. The sign is Cancer; stone, ruby, meaning love; perfume, lotus-blossom; colors, green and pastel tints.

August, Leo; the sardonyx, meaning felicity; perfume, jasmine; and colors, yellow, green, white. September, Virgo; sapphire, meaning wisdom; perfume, magnolia; color, silvery gray. October, Libra; opal, hope; perfume, heliotrope; color, blue. November, Scorpio; topaz, fidelity; perfume, blue orchid; color, red. December, Sagittarius; turquoise, success; perfume, rose; colors, blues, native, violet.

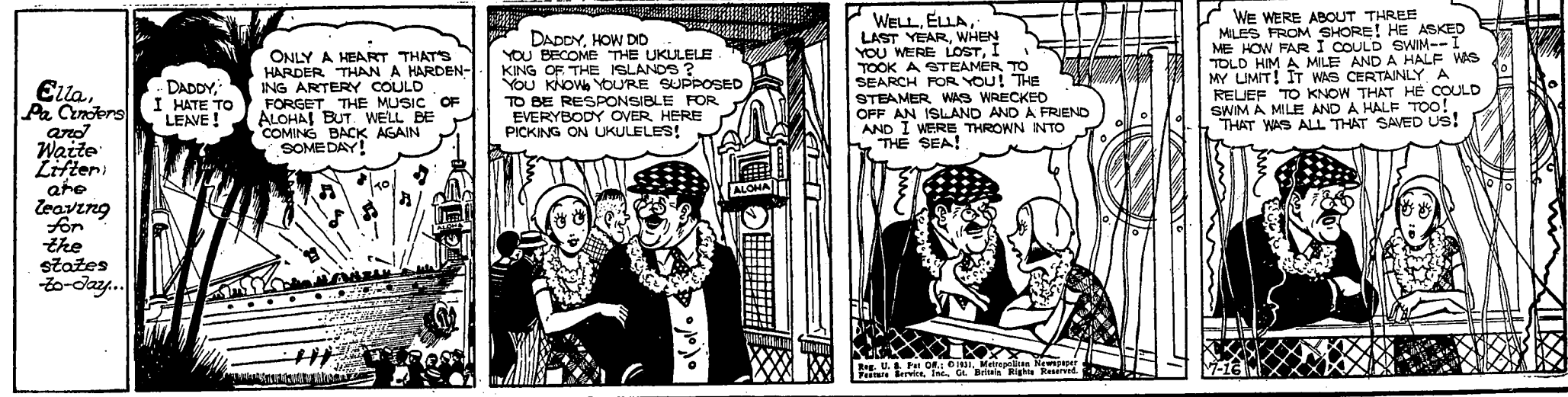
By the way, do you make yourself sweet-smelling rose bowls and will you grow, or buy, sweet lavender, to tie in small bags and

## BRINGING UP FATHER---



## ELLA CINDERS--- THE HOW AND THE WHY

By Bill Conselman and Charlie Plumb



## TILLIE THE TOILER--- BY WAY OF DIVERSION

By Russ Westover.



## EMBARRASSING MOMENTS



## JUST KIDS--- MAKING A CLEAN SWEEP OF THINGS

By Ad Carter.



## TODAY'S CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

**ACROSS**

- Obstructs
- Formerly
- Twice five
- Prepare for publication
- Practice
- Bracing
- Expensive
- Symbol for tellurium
- Crystallized rain
- Genus of long-legged insects
- Birds' beaks
- Concerning
- Ovals
- Kind of lily
- Peer Gynt's mother
- Royal Navy's abbr.
- Alternative
- White lie
- Coolness in danger
- God of war
- Thus
- Set of three
- Not crooked
- Man servant
- Clothing word of a prayer

**DOWN**

- Wager
- Bustle
- Wash lightly
- Is frugal
- Comparative
- Color
- Loiter
- Span of horses
- Institute
- Born
- Scenes of combat
- Cleave together
- Small singing bird
- Eco
- Kind of wild goose
- Place where water is kept in store
- Short for a man's name
- Wooden shoe
- Luscious
- Odd: Scotch
- Made a grand claim
- Preposition of place
- Afternoon nap
- Cubic meter
- Knot in wood
- Snap
- Article
- East Indian
- Sweet potato
- Type measure
- Former universal negative
- Perform

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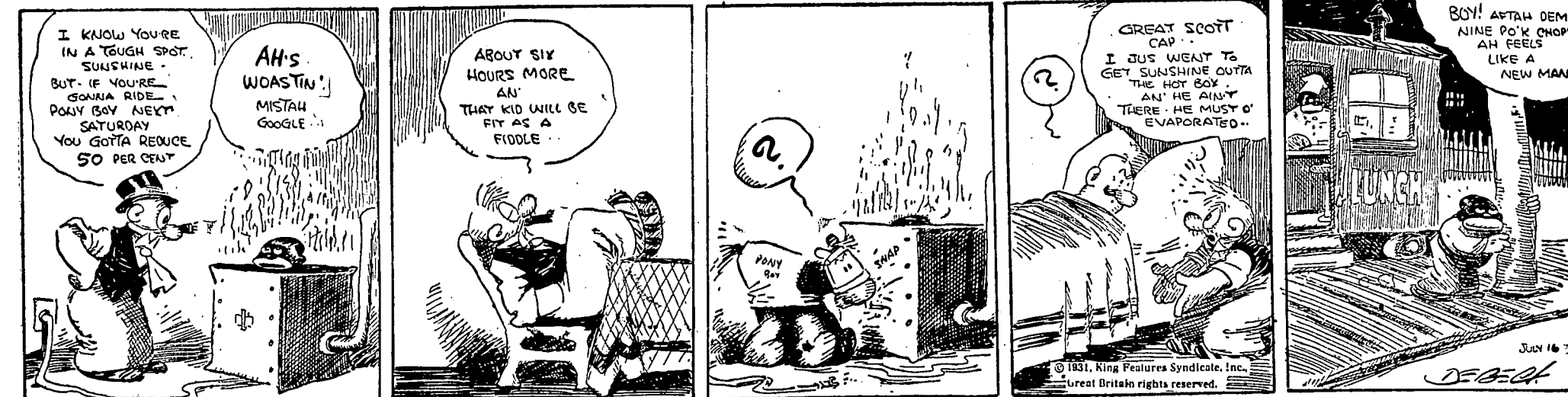
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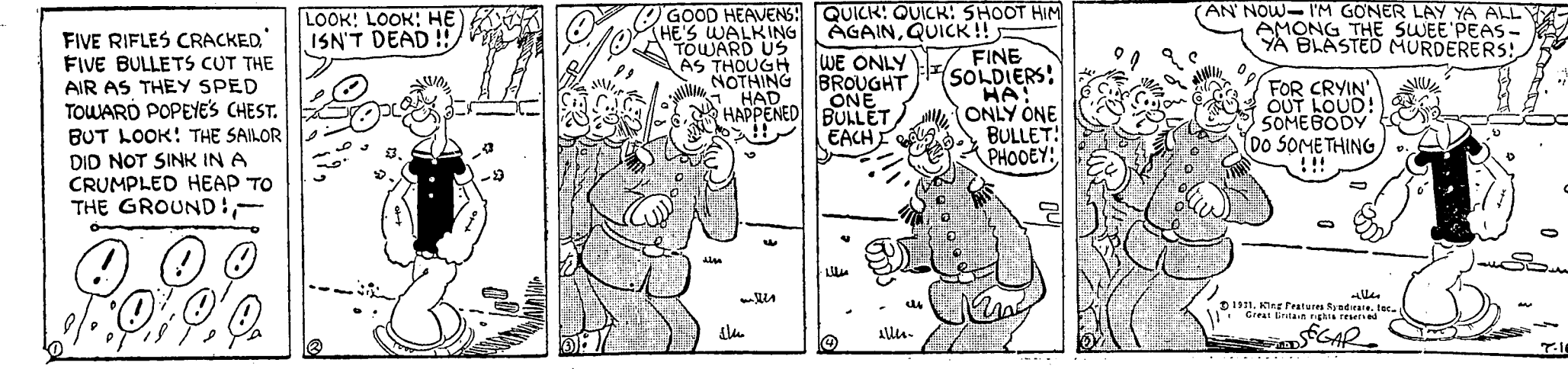
## BARNEY GOOGLE-- NOT ACCORDING TO SYSTEM

By Billie DeBeck.



NOW SHOWING-- "The Man Who Came Back" TOMORROW-- "Pullman Reservations for Two?"

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# AUTO ACCIDENT RESTORES MEMORY TO MARSHALL MAN

The first time in four years Thomas Scott Golsby, whose lost memory was restored by an automobile crash, was able today to recognize his parents and wife and number greeting.  
 Golsby received grave injuries in a car wreck which took the life of Cecil Trague and injured two other persons Tuesday.  
 He submitted today to treatment for a dislocated hip and shortly afterwards lapsed into unconsciousness.  
 Dr. and Mrs. R. C. Goolsby, Fort-lythe, Ga., who arrived here today, said his son had worked for him several years ago.  
 He said the injured man had returned to Georgia from Texas at one time but apparently did not recognize his family or friends.  
 Dr. Goolsby confirmed the belief that the injured man was able to recognize his parents for the first time since he lost his memory.

## Travis County Sheriff Heads Texas Officers

HOUSTON, July 16.—(AP)—Sheriff Coley C. White of Austin was elected president of the Texas Sheriffs' Association in annual convention here today.  
 Sheriff A. R. Harvey of Lamar, Arkansas county was elected vice president.  
 The Association went on record as favoring abolition of the fee system by which many public officials get their remuneration, and suggested the payment of salaries. A committee will be appointed to confer with the legislature. No other business was transacted prior to luncheon.

## AFFAIRS OF VITEK PLACED IN HANDS RECEIVERS TODAY

TYLER, July 16.—(AP)—The affairs of Paul Vitek, who received fatal burns when his Vitek No. 2 well at Overton burst into flames, were placed in the hands of receivers in district court here today.  
 Earle B. Mayfield, former United States senator, and John M. Stephens, Tyler banker, were named as receivers.  
 Vitek's properties included six large producing wells in the Jolner area on the eBaton lease No. 1, including No. 5 Eaton.  
 The receivers took steps today to assist in putting out the fire at the Vitek well, which has been raging since last Saturday. They expressed belief the fire would be extinguished within 36 hours.

## Name of Every Gold Star Mother Wanted By Legion Auxiliary

Miss Margarite Garlity, president of the local American Legion Auxiliary, wants the name of every Gold Star mother in Navarro county, according to an announcement made Thursday. Gold Star mothers are those who lost a son or sons in the world war. Anyone knowing of a Gold Star mother is requested to send the name to Miss Margarite Garlity, 628 West Fourth avenue, Corsicana, Texas.

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# Interesting News From Navarro County Towns

## BARRY

Cora Boulware and children of Wortham attended church in Barry Sunday.

John Freeman and daughter, Fay, and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Robinson of McKinney are visiting relatives in Barry and Corsicana. W. P. Bell and daughter, Mrs. Ernest Watson, are visiting relatives in Barry.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Bell spent the day Sunday in Troupe with relatives.

Rev. and Mrs. Walter Griffith left Sunday for White Oak, New Mexico, for an extended visit with relatives.

Little Miss Velma Lois Watson is spending the week in Dallas with her uncles, Homer and Marshall Watson, and families.

W. A. Moore and Tom Dye of Mertens are in Barry Monday. Mrs. Mollie Holloway of Fort Worth and Mrs. Georgia Brown of Frust visited Mrs. S. E. Moore Saturday afternoon.

L. B. Watson and family and Miss Pearl Jones of Rule spent from Thursday until Monday in Barry. Mr. Watson attended the funeral of his uncle, Robert Watson, in Corsicana Friday.

Guy Freeman came home Tuesday afternoon from California.

Mrs. B. F. Freeman gave a 42 party Tuesday evening.

Mrs. A. Freeman entertained the young people with a lawn party Tuesday evening.

John Watson and son, Ed, of Wheeler, spent Saturday in Barry, guests of Mrs. J. D. Bourland.

Miss Ruby Watson of Corsicana was in Barry Tuesday.

Miss Inez Hobbs of Mertens is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. N. J. Grinnett, and other relatives.

Mrs. W. T. Woodruff left Saturday for San Antonio to be at the bedside of her brother, who is critically ill.

Mrs. Floyd Poole and son, Glenn of Moran are visiting her folks. Mr. Jones of Oklahoma is visiting his sister, Mrs. Katie Brumbe- low.

Miss Willie Mae Ragsdale is spending the week in Wortham, the guest of her brother, Roy Ragsdale, and family.

Mrs. J. E. Varnell and sons, Jack and Bob, are spending the week with her father, W. T. Woodruff.

Mrs. Claude Williams of Purdon visited relatives here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Johnson, J. W. Mitchell and family went to Elgin county fishing the first of the week.

The Baptist revival meeting begins Sunday, Rev. Brother will have charge of the choir.

L. B. Watson and family and Miss Pearl Jones of Rule, Lloyd Simpson and family of Bloomsburg, J. D. Bourland and family and Grandma Heaton were dinner guests Sunday of Mrs. R. W. Varnell.

Several members of Corsicana church attended Eastern Star meeting in Barry Tuesday evening. Mrs. Jewel Weaver of Wortham made her official visit at said meeting.

Mrs. W. O. Russell returned Tuesday from Detroit, Mich., where she has been visiting for the past month.

Miss Doris Watson is spending the week with her grandmother, Mrs. Robert Watson, in Corsicana.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoyte Moore of Drane spent Sunday with relatives here.

John F. Watson and grandsons, John F. Reed and Lawrence Wul- en, left Tuesday for Indiana for an extended visit with relatives.

Miss Ruth Watson and Mrs. Raymond Worsham returned to Teachers' College in Denton Monday. They attended the funeral of their grandfather, Friday.

Rev. and Mrs. Bruce Cox are in Wichita Falls this week, Rev. Cox is helping in a revival there.

We are glad to learn that Miss Ora Spiegler, who is a patient in the P. & S. Hospital, Corsicana, is improving.

## PICKETT

PICKETT, July 16.—(Spl.)—ily of Parkville are visiting E. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Vance and fam- L. Green and family.

Mrs. H. P. Wooley, Mrs. W. M. Hunter and Mrs. Jim Highnote are on the sick list.

Sam Norwood spent Sunday afternoon with H. P. Wooley.

Miss Fay Blards was the dinner guest of Misses Maud and Emma Bull of Highnote Sunday.

Evelyn Norwood was in Corsicana Sunday afternoon.

Miss Opal Tollman is spending this week with her sister, Mrs. Fred Moore of Fros.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Strouham of Richland spent Thursday and Friday with Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hunter.

Jim Casey is on the sick list this week.

Claude Lansford of Corsicana spent Sunday with H. P. Wooley family.

W. M. Hunter and J. D. Ingham were in Corsicana Saturday.

Miss Estelle Grissold spent Saturday night and Sunday visiting in Purley.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ingham and son Earl spent Sunday afternoon visiting E. L. Grissold.

Mrs. and Mrs. J. P. Grissold and daughter, Jewel, spent Sunday visiting in Purley.

Miss Madge Highnote, Miss Pearl Rogers, Miss Hallie Compton and Miss Esther Grissold were in Corsicana Sunday.

League Wooley and family of Frost spent several hours with his father, H. P. Wooley and family Sunday.

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## EMHOUSE

EMHOUSE, July 16.—(Spl.)—Mrs. Willie Jones, under an operation for appendicitis Tuesday afternoon at the Navarro Clinic at Corsicana.

Mrs. Lee Hearn of Corsicana is spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Rice.

Miss Olga Harris was taken to the Navarro Clinic Wednesday morning for treatment. She is seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Butler left Monday for Dallas where they will attend Southern Methodist University during the six weeks term.

Mrs. W. H. Butler returned home with her son and wife Mr. and Mrs. Homer Butler Sunday. She will spend several days with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Aron left last Tuesday for El Paso and California on a two weeks motor trip before returning to their home in Oklahoma City. They have been spending several days with the former's parents Mr. and Mrs. A. Aron.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy McManus of Dallas spent last week-end with the former's mother Mrs. D. M. McManus.

Mrs. Jeanne Sheets was an Ennis visitor Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Montgomery were called to Blooming Grove Tuesday on account of the death of the latter's sister-in-law, Mrs. Rufus Hartley.

Miss Clara Sole Owen was able to return home Saturday from the hospital in Corsicana.

Mr. and Mrs. Kelly Montgomery are entertaining a brand new baby son who made his arrival Sunday morning.

Mrs. C. D. Owen and daughter, Mary Lynn were Corsicana visitors Monday.

Every one is cordially invited to attend the services each night and morning at the tabernacle, as the Methodist Protestant revival is now in progress.

The long drought has been broken this week by several nice showers and the temperature is much lower than for the past several days.

Miss Lockie Harris is spending a few days with her sister Mrs. Edward Anderson of Corsicana.

Those who wish their children to take advantage of the vaccinations for smallpox, diphtheria and typhoid fever will please call for the blanks at the drug store or at the home of Mrs. C. D. Owen. The vaccines are furnished by the state of Texas and will be administered by our local physician absolutely free of charge. All children from one year old through school age will be eligible for free vaccine. Everyone should be interested in assisting the public health department in every way in putting on this campaign for stamping out communicable diseases.

## MILDRED

MILDRED, July 16.—(Spl.)—This community has been visited by large showers of rain this week which was greatly appreciated.

Miss Lorene Johnson is the guest of Miss Reba Frances Darden of Athens this week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. England, teachers in the Mildred school, the past week, moved Tuesday to Donna, where they have a position in the Donna high school.

Donna Lee of Navarro is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Oliver Gray.

Mrs. Mack White and children and Mrs. Elwyn Ellis and daughter spent Monday with Mrs. D. F. Brown.

Colman Vest and Lonnie Downing of Alliance Hall were Mildred visitors Tuesday.

Budd Brashear is visiting in Wilton this week.

Miss Helen Brown is spending this week with her sister and brother, Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Brown.

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## NAVARRO

NAVARRO, July 16.—(Spl.)—Mr. and Mrs. Jim Collins and children of Wichita Falls have returned to their home after several days' visit with relatives here.

Misses Dorothy, Leola and Angie MacWatson of Fairfield visited friends here Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Carey Hawkins of Wink were guests of their mother, Mrs. Effie Stroder, the latter part of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Griener and daughters left Tuesday for their new home in the East Texas oil fields. We regret very much to have them leave, but sincerely wish them success and hope they will like their new location.

Alva Scruggs and Miss Letha Thompson were quietly married in Corsicana Friday night. The young couple have a host of friends who wish them much happiness.

Messdames Oliver Forbes, Fanny Knight, A. J. Slaughter, St. Har- vard, Messrs. Marshall, Kate Howard and Messrs. Sam, Wade and E. H. Harvard attended the funeral of Mrs. Taulie Newman, who died Tuesday morning and was buried Wednesday in the cemetery.

Rev. and Mrs. M. M. Sheets and little son, Robert, were here over the week-end to meet their regular appointment.

Thomas Payne Westbrook and Miss Irma Smith were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Ferrell of Dallas Sunday, and attended the Dallas-Frost baseball game.

Miss Clara Sole Owen is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Duke.

Carl Maxwell left Tuesday to join his mother in McCombs.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Clithers and boys, Fred and A. D. are spending their vacation in Dallas with Mr. Corith's mother and father.

Mrs. M. R. Savage has had relatives visiting her the past week.

Mrs. G. P. Bryson left Monday for a two weeks' stay with relatives in Coleman.

Miss Lucille Horn is in East Texas for a visit with her father, Mr. and Mrs. Newt Horn.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Coleman received word Monday of the birth of a baby girl to their daughter, Mrs. Carl Mathews of Dawson. They christened the young lady, Marilyn.

Messdames Sam Stroder, Charles Collins and E. H. Howard were among the number who attended the funeral of Mrs. Edna West.

Clois Marsh was the proudest little boy in town Wednesday morning when he came in with a four pound cat fish he had caught.

Robert Tatum and sister, Miss Alma, and Mrs. W. W. Williams were Corsicana visitors Wednesday.

## BRYAN

BRYAN, July 16.—(Spl.)—A nice rain fell in this community Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Winston Knight visited Mr. and Mrs. Rob Blake Wednesday morning.

Rob Blake and family of Dresden, Heath Blake and family of Black Hills, Mr. and Mrs. Winston Knight, Mrs. C. E. England, and Katherine Gay went fishing on the Trinity river Thursday, and returned Saturday afternoon.

Thomas Brown and Kenneth Gay returned home from Chandler Thursday.

Ms. Ab Soap and children of Luling, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ross.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Henderson, Howard Collier and Misses Edna Watkins and Myrtle Jones visited in this community Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Tatum visited Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Tatum Sunday afternoon.

Miss Kittie Cunningham visited Mrs. Mattie Truelove Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Florence Cunningham and son, Walter and grandson, Derwood French, returned in Dawson Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. P. A. Reed left Sunday to visit her niece, Mrs. J. W. Wimberly.

Misses Mae Gay and Christine Thummel returned home Sunday from Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Knight visited Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hadley Monday afternoon.

Frank Perry was in Corsicana Monday.

Shep Baggett was in Corsicana on business Monday.

Mrs. Charlie Knight visited Mrs. M. C. Chambers, Tuesday afternoon.

Rev. and Mrs. McCulloch and daughter, Ruth, spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Shep Baggett.

Fulton Allen was in Corsicana Monday.

## BAZETTE

BAZETTE, July 16.—(Spl.)—This community received the long-wished-for rain Monday afternoon, which will be of great benefit to the crops.

The Baptist and Methodist Union meeting began Sunday morning with Rev. Cartledge of Athens, Baptist pastor, delivering the first of two sermons. On account of the rain Monday afternoon there was no service Monday night. Rev. H. C. Bowman of Rice delivered his first sermon Tuesday morning and will continue to preach throughout the meeting which will continue ten days or two weeks. Everyone is invited to attend the services twice a week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Deskin and daughter, John, of Corsicana spent the week-end at Bazette.

Misses Cleo Stewart, Willie Fae Upchurch and Fern Waits visited Mrs. Jennie Arnett Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Massey, here Sunday.

Otis Atkinson and Millard Patterson of Corsicana were Bazette visitors Sunday.

Miss Bertha Mae Tillman of Bryan is visiting Miss Atwood Massey.

Violin McQuary visited Cleo Stewart Tuesday.

Mrs. Jewel Early spent Monday

## BRUSHIE PRAIRIE

BRUSHIE PRAIRIE, July 16.—Recent rains Sunday were much needed in this community, are of great benefit to the crops, which are looking fine.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Watts and son, Adrain Ray, of Fort Worth, spent Wednesday night with Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Watts.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Slater, Miss Carmel Totten, Joe Jack and Jewel Slater were in Corsicana Wednesday of last week to see Miss Laddie Riley of Hubbard who is a patient in the P. and S. hospital.

Miss Doris Faye Dorch of Corsicana is visiting relatives here this week-end.

Miss Willie Caskey is spending the week in Coolidge.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Watts were Corsicana visitors Saturday.

Abner Bawson of Corsicana spent Saturday and Sunday with Edgar Riley.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Priddy visited Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Riley and family of Irene several days last week.

Jim Caskey, John Ritter and E. H. Hagie were in Corsicana Monday.

Lawrence Savage of Malone and Robert Hubbard spent Monday in the home of G. W. Lawrence.

R. B. Grantham is visiting his parents in Van Alstyne.

Edna Slaughter returned to her home near Dawson Saturday after an extended visit with relatives here.

Floyd Lawrence is visiting relatives in Malone.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ritter and son, Lloyd, were in Dawson Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Vest and sons visited Mr. and Mrs. An- drew of Emmett Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Wright and family of Kilgore, visited J. C. Totten and family recently.

Elbert Hall was in this community Wednesday of last week.

John McCannless of Kenton, Okla., Jim Davis and children, Mary Beth and George, and Mrs. Jim Howell of Dawson, and E. B. and B. Savage of Malone visited Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Lawrence and family Sunday.

Nolen and Fred Adams of Spring Hill visited Clint Adams and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Slater, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Vest and sons, Misses Vera and Ethel Caskey and Maxie Vest, Nealey Parsh, Joe Jack Slater, Frank Had- don and family, visited at Navarro Mills Sunday night.

The revival meeting of the Methodist church will begin here Sunday morning. The pastor, the Rev. W. O. Waddell of Dawson, will do the preaching.

## RICE

RICE, July 16.—(Spl.)—Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Clark and little son, Melvin Lynn have returned from Corpus Christi where they spent several days.

Miss Mable Allen has returned home after spending several days visiting friends at Mineral Wells, Fort Worth and Ennis.

Miss Joey Dyer and Mrs. Lon- nie Hall attended the funeral of Mrs. Bentley in Bristol Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sloan and little daughter Joan, have returned home from a several days' stay at Wortham with relatives.

Miss Joey Dyer is home from Commerce where she has been at the Rice school.

Mrs. G. R. Long spent the week-end in Dallas with relatives.

Miss Dorothy Francis Dyer spent last week-end in Groesbeck a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Brundage.

Miss Clover South of Beaumont is here spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. W. South.

Mr. J. C. Dobbs is visiting relatives in Coleman this week.

Mrs. Bufo Pritchett and little daughter Betty Joe are visiting relatives in Colorado.

Mrs. Alton Bradley was hostess to the Wednesday evening bridge club this week at the home of Mrs. J. M. Bradley. Roses adorned the reception rooms where the three tables were arranged for the game. Mrs. B. H. Clark, Misses Norine, Edna and Mable Allen were invited guests. Miss Verna Gregory held high score at the conclusion of the game, and was presented a lovely favor. Cut favors were presented to Mrs. B. H. Clark, Misses Norine, Edna and Mable Allen.

Misses Mae Gay and Christine Thummel returned home Sunday from Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Knight visited Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hadley Monday afternoon.

Frank Perry was in Corsicana Monday.

Shep Baggett was in Corsicana on business Monday.

Mrs. Charlie Knight visited Mrs. M. C. Chambers, Tuesday afternoon.

Rev. and Mrs. McCulloch and daughter, Ruth, spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Shep Baggett.

Fulton Allen was in Corsicana Monday.

## SHADY GROVE

SHADY GROVE, July 16.—(Spl.)—Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Watkins of Barry visited relatives here Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Pertee and daughter, Effie, were Corbett visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Lane and Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Compton were the Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Lane.

Miss Inez Compton of Purdon spent a few days last week with Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Compton.

Mrs. Fannie Wallace of Mala- koff spent last week here visiting her children, Rufus Wallace and Mrs. Elbert Lane, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Wallis accompanied her home Saturday for a few days' visit.

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Powell and children of Drane are visiting Mrs. Powell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hardy.

Mrs. Arthur Dunn and children of Rushing spent a few days last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. Lane.

J. F. Lane returned home Monday from El Paso where he has been visiting his sister, Mrs. Mary F. Reid.

Dob Lane and Miss Mary Alma Edgerton were married July 1, in Las Cruces, New Mexico. Their many friends wish for them a long and happy life.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Compton and a few days last week with relatives at Purdon.

The revival meeting will start at the Baptist church Friday night, July 17. Everyone is invited to come and be with us in the morning.